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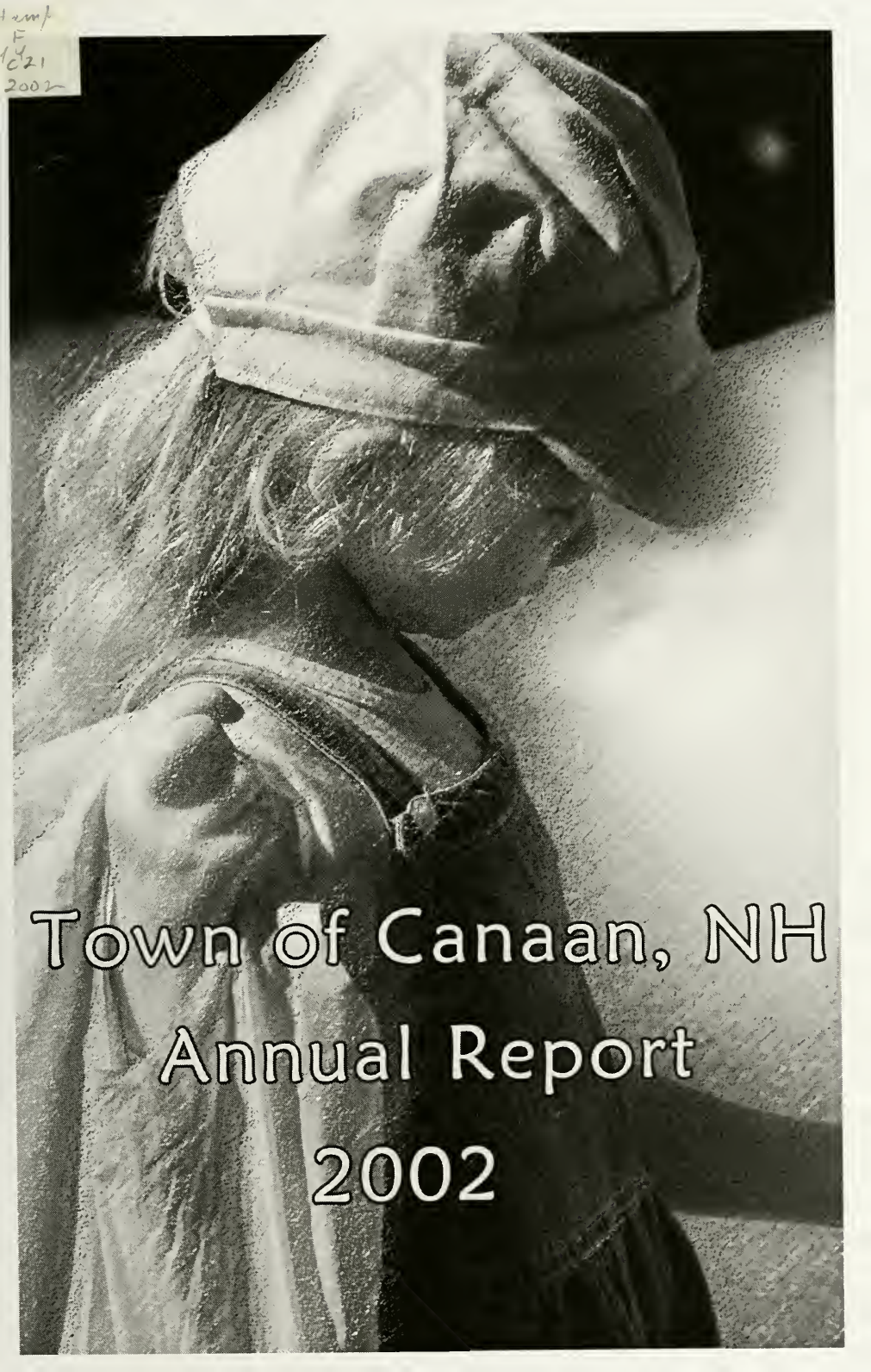

Town of Canaan, NH

Annual Report

2002

PREFACE

This report is produced by the Canaan Board of Selectmen with the intention of giving the citizens of Canaan a diary of sorts of all the events that took place in the year 2002. This publication contains four major sections:

1. The first being, "REPORTS" which will cover all the "Town's Departments", "Boards & Committees", and the "Tustees." These reports are produced by the Department Head of each department with the purpose of explaining what they have accomplished during the year 2002, and to provide some insight on their goals for the year 2003. This section will also contain the reports for the various committees, boards, and trustees who also take part in the Town's operation.

2. The second section is a new addition to our annual report and it is called, "The Community." This section is reserved for all the various organizations and activities which have become a vital part of our community. We hope that as time goes on this section will continue to grow in both size and popularity; the Board sees this section as providing two benefits. The first benefit is to provide an opportunity to all the various organizations to reach the citizens of Canaan and explain what they're all about, what their goals are, what they have accomplished, and how to contact them. The second benefit is to those citizens who wish to become more involved with their community; it serves as a means to introduce them to what is out there.

3. The third section is the "Financial Section." This section contains all the various financial reports for the Town of Canaan.

4. The forth and last section is that of the Town's Water & Sewer Departments. This section contains all the various reports to help the users of the system and all the citizens of Canaan to have a better understanding of the system's current position.

We hope that you take the time to read this report, and in doing so, we hope you find the experience to be enjoyable. Thank you.

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Report of Town Officers

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Appeals Board

Reggie Barney, Chairman
Harry Lang, Secretary
Verne Hines

Board of Selectmen

Jeffrey Majewski, Chairman	2003
Timothy Lewis	2005
Bob Goerke	2003

Budget Committee

Dave Barney, Chairman	2003
Dave McAlister, Vice-Chairman	2003
Bill MacDonald, Secretary	2003
Marty Pusey	2003
Peter Solomon	2003
Russell Lester	2004
Hayward Stafford	2004
Phil Carter	2005
Sam Lowe	2005
Jeffrey Majewski, Selectmen's Rep	2003

Cemetery Trustees

Maxine Therriault	2005
Jacqueline Lary	2004
Cynthia Neily	2003

Bookkeeper /Treasurer (Maxine Therriault)

Human Resource Officer

Nelson Therriault	2003

Conservation Commission

Leonard Reitsma, Chairman
Kate Brooks, Clerk
Donald Blunt
John Allen
Dan Lambert
Alice Schori

Code Enforcement Officer

Joseph Butterfield

Fire Department

William Bellion, Fire Chief
Greg Smith, Assistant Fire Chief
Brent Stevens, Assistant Fire Chief

Highway Department

Earl Charbono, Road Agent	2005

Historic District Commission

Elena VanZandt, Chirman	2003
Jeffrey Majewski, Selectmen's Rep	2003
Maria Arista, Secretery	2004
Sue McGee	2004
Mary Noordsy	2004

Historical Society & Museum

Daniel W. Fleetham, Chairman
John A. Ricard, Vice Chairman
Carol Bergeron, Secretary
Reggie Barney, Treasurer
Donna Zani – Dunkerton,
Historian and Corresponding Secretary

Information Coordinator

Terri Purcell

Parks & Recreation

Marvin Rocke, Chairman
Helen Rocke
Wally Medeiros
Carol Medeiros
Ellen Rocke
William Tibbits
Candace Carter
Mary Noordsy
Jackie Lary
Bob Goerke

Planning Board

Andrew Musz, Chairman	2004
Jeffrey Majewski, Selectmen's Rep	2003
Giovanna Lepore	2004
Roger Easton	2003
Edward Lary	2003
Daniel Ware	2005
Daniel Stafford	2005

Old Meeting House Committee

James R. Miller II, Chairman
Carolyn Barney
Thomas Geoghegan
Mary Grimm
Fred Majewski
Edward D. McGee
Nan Munsey
Roxane Waldner
Bejamin S. Yamashita
Jeffrey Majewski, (Selectmen's Representative)

Police Department
Timothy Cohen, Police Cheif 2003

Tax Collector
Edward Morse 2005

Town Clerk
Edward Morse 2005

Town Treasurer
Helen Rocke 2003

Deputy Tax Collector
Debra MacDonald

Deputy Town Clerk
Debra MacDonald

Deputy Treasurer
Shirley Packard

Town Auditors
Vachon, Clukay & Co.,PC

Town Administrator
Steven Iacuzzi

Town Attorney
Mitchell & Bates Professional Association

Town Library
Amy Thurber, Librarian

Library Trustees

Cynthia Neily, Chairman	2004
Beth Wolf, Clerk	2005
Joanna Carr	2005
Sue Marcoulier	2003
Patricia Carter	2004

Moderator

Dale Barney	2004

Trustees of the Trust Funds

Maxine Therriault	2005
Jacqueline Lary	2004
Cynthia Neily	2003

Bookkeeper /Treasurer (Maxine Therriault)

Commissioners of the Water & Sewer

Jeffrey Majewski, Chairman	2003
Timothy Lewis	2005
Bob Goerke	2003

Water & Sewer Department Operation
Water System Operators (Contracted Service)

Water & Sewer Advisory Committee
Milton Wilson, Chairman
William MacDonald
Wally Medeiros
James Miller II
Jay Waldner

Our Department's, Board's, and Commission's Reports

Board of Selectmen

The Board would like to thank the citizens of Canaan for the privilege of being able to serve them for another successful year.

During the past three years we have seen many advances in the Community; advances such as a new highway garage, a new police station which also houses the Canaan FAST Squad, and two new fire trucks. We have also relocated the Town Hall by renovating the old police station and we were able to totally reconstruct the Switch Road and the Goose Pond Road. We were able to purchase 3 new Freightliners for the Highway Department; they were purchased on a three year lease contract and the last payment will be in September of 2003.

We are very proud to report that the year 2002 has been no exception. The computer systems in both the Town Hall and the Police Station have been networked. Bob Goerke, Joe Butterfield and Steve Iacuzzi donated a lot of time to these projects which saved the Town a great deal of money. The Board unanimously supported system software upgrades for the Police Department, which will ultimately keep our officers safe by providing them with current information. The Board and Chief Cohen anticipate that these new systems will save a lot of administrative time which will allow for more patrol time. Once again we were able to purchase another new fire truck which should be delivered in April of 2003 and a new pick-up truck for the Road Agent.

We would also like to thank Ellen-Marie Wilson and Bob Goerke for all their efforts in bringing the 911 Enhanced System

on line. Because of their efforts and dedication, lives will be saved. We would also like to thank Steve Iacuzzi for writing the grant which gave our Police Department 3 difibulators; we hope we never have to use them, but to a heart-attack victim... when every second counts... these dilfibulators may be their lifeline.

We would also like to thank our support staff; Terri Purcell, who maintains the Town's assessment records, Brenda Souza who has recently taken on the bookkeeping duties, Nelson Therriault who addresses the needs of our citizens in their time of need, Joe Butterfield who provides Canaan's citizens with invaluable services to keep them safe and healthy for years to come, and finally Steve Iacuzzi who has served the Canaan Board of Selectmen for nearly five years. We find his work to be exemplary, his efforts to be tireless, and his commitment to our community to be extraordinary.

As we look to the year 2003, the Board is optimistic. We believe that with the people's support and the dedication of the Town's employees; there is nothing that we can't accomplish.

Respectfully submitted:

Jeffrey Majewski, Chairman
Timothy Lewis
Bob Goerke
Canaan Board of Selectmen

CANAAN FIRE DEPARTMENT
REPORT FOR 2002

The year 2002 reflected a decrease in the total number of calls for the Canaan Fire Department. The total calls approached 100 with increased activity occurring in the last month of the year. This does not however indicate a decrease of training or interest by members of the CFD. The department continues to provide training classes in-house and sends firefighters to classes within the region to continue to provide trained personnel to the town. This year 3 firefighters, Aaron Allen, Todd Poole and Nick Schwarz completed Firefighter Level I classes sponsored by the New Hampshire Fire Academy. Other firefighters completed training in automobile extrication, which focused on the techniques needed to extricate victims from the new cars and provide for increased safety for firefighters as they perform these operations. Firefighters participated in classes on ice rescue safety in conjunction with the Canaan Fast Squad. Training centered on using the new ice rescue sled and rescue suits purchased through joint efforts by the departments. Classes and training were also held on wild land fire fighting and search and rescue procedures and the use of GPS systems in searches. In the spring of 2003 training will be taking place on the new 1500 gallon tanker that is due to arrive from the manufacturer. The new tanker will replace 2 tankers of 1960's vintage currently in use through the State of New Hampshire Division of Forest and Lands

Canaan firefighters participated in 10 mutual aid calls this year. Most of these calls involved response to structure fires in Grafton, Enfield, Lebanon and Hanover. We also responded to a mutual aid call for a wild land fire in Springfield, NH. Nationally 3 Canaan firefighters Aaron Allen, Bill Bellion and Brent Stevens served on New Hampshire state fire crews as part of a nation-wide response to fires in California, Colorado, Idaho and Oregon.

As part of fund raising efforts by the CFD, money was raised to purchase an AED defibulator and oxygen tanks to be placed on CFD trucks to provide on-scene usage for firefighters and civilians .The rescue sled and cold water suits were purchased by a grant in conjunction with the Canaan Fast Squad .The CFD also applied for state grants to buy protective equipment for wild land fire fighting

As the year ends and winter approaches, it is important to remember safety procedures around the house. Please be careful with your heating appliances and use them correctly. Please keep 2 entrances/exits clear to your residence as means of escape should a fire occur. Dispose of woodstove ashes in a safe manner . Clear snow from your house roof to prevent ice and water damage and with heavy snow build-up a collapse situation. Please remember that a small mistake can result in a large problem. Should you have questions about fire or home safety please contact us for information.

Canaan firefighters tallied a total of 1425 as of mid-December in service to the community. We appreciate your support as we continue our efforts to serve the town of Canaan. We would also like to thank our families for their support as we respond to emergencies, participate in training and continue to provide service to the community.

The following is the tally of runs for 2002 until mid-December

Accident Automobile	8
Brush Grass Fires	9
Alarm Activation Residents	6
Chimney Fires	1
Alarm Activations Schools	18

CO Detector	3
Automobile Fires	5
Electrical Fire	1
EMS Assistance	2
Tree on Wires	1
Mutual Aid to Enfield	3
Trees and Wires Down	1
Mutual Aid to Grafton	4
Water leak	1
Mutual Aid to Lebanon	1
Wires Down	9
Mutual Aid to Hanover	1
Odor Investigations	3
Public Assistance	2
Search and Rescue	1
Smoke Investigations	3
Structure Fires	6

Total 89 as of mid-December 2002

Respectfully submitted

William Bellion, Chief

Report of Forest Fire Warden and State Forest Ranger

Your local Forest Fire Warden, Fire Department, and the State of New Hampshire Division of Forests and Lands cooperate and coordinate to reduce the risk of wildland fires in New Hampshire. To help us assist you, contact your local Forest Fire Warden or Fire Department to find out if a permit is required before doing ALL outside burning. Fire permits are mandatory for all outside burning unless the ground where the burning is to be done (and surrounding areas) is completely covered with snow. Violations of RSA 227-L: 17, the fire permit law and the other burning laws of the State of New Hampshire are misdemeanors punishable by fines up to $2,000 and/or a year in jail, plus suppression cost.

A new law effective January 1, 2003 prohibits residential trash burning (RSA 125-N). Contact New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services at (800) 498-6868 or www.des.state.nh.us for more information

Help us to protect you and our forest resources. Most New Hampshire wildfires are human caused. Homeowners can help protect their homes by maintaining adequate green space around the house and make sure that the house number is correct and visible. Contact your fire department or the New Hampshire Division of Forests and Lands at www.nhdfl.org or 271-2217 for wildland fire safety information.

ONLY YOU CAN PREVENT WILDLAND FIRES

2002 FIRE STATISTICS

(All fires Reported thru November 10, 2002)

TOTALS BY COUNTY

	# of Fires	Acres
Belknap	52	13.5
Carroll	80	10.5

CAUSES OF FIRES REPORTED

Arson / Suspicious	43
Campfire	31

2002 FIRE STATISTICS (Continued)

(All fires Reported thru November 10, 2002)

TOTALS BY COUNTY

Cheshire	39	17
Coos	3	2.5
Grafton	53	21
Hillsborough	108	54.5
Merrimack	94	13.5
Rockingham	60	25.5
Strafford	31	23
Sullivan	20	6

CAUSES OF FIRES REPORTED

Children	32
Smoking	32
Rekindle of Permit	3
Illegal	7
Lightening	36
Misc*	356

(*Misc: Powerlines, Fireworks, Railroad, Ashes, Debris, Structures, Equipment.)

	Total Fires	Total Acres
2002	540	187
2001	942	428
2000	516	149

Townwide Mechanic

I would like to first thank the town fathers, fire department, police department, and the highway department for the opportunity to serve as their mechanic, and especially the highway crew for all the help they have given me.

With that said, I would like to update the townspeople regarding any changes made during the 2002 year and my intentions for the coming year.

As we are all well aware, it is the job of the fire, fast squad and police departments to respond quickly to emergencies such as fires, health and safety issues. The number one goal of this department is to maintain the town vehicles, to ensure that they are in the best running order possible. In winter, the plow trucks need to be up and running, ready to go at all times otherwise, our emergency personnel would be unable to get to those in need. With this in mind, we have acquired a vehicle from the fast squad to be fitted for road service. Because of this, repairs to the town vehicles on the road will be safer and more efficient. This has been a concern of mine since I came to work here and I am pleased with the update.

During the 2002-year we installed bulk motor oil and hydraulic tanks with dispensing pumps. The tanks are double lined to meet EPA and OSHA safety guidelines. The price of the oil and hydraulic fluid is considerably less when bought in large amounts, and will pay for the cost of the tanks in a few years.

As I am still somewhat new to this position, one of my primary goals for 2003 is to reorganize the existing inventory. Knowing what is on-hand will help to ensure that parts are not ordered unnecessarily.

I am currently comparing vendor prices to optimize spending as regards parts, tools and supplies; keeping in mind quality is of major concern.

It's been a learning experience to begin a job in the middle of an already established budget, but with the help of the road crew, I feel I have done the best possible job given those circumstances. I look forward to serving the community in the coming year.

Townwide Mechanic,
Larry Brabant

Canaan Parks & Recreation Committee
2002 Year End Report

This has been an exciting year for the Parks and Recreation Committee. The beach program went well with few complaints. It must be noted here that the lack of lifeguards at the beach has not hurt attendance or safety and has allowed us to save tax dollars. Thanks to the adults who volunteer to be beach monitors.

With lots of volunteer help, much has been accomplished at Williams Field this year. The basketball court was resurfaced and a skateboard park was added to the field between the playground and horseshoe pits.

At this writing the lights at the ball field have been erected. The poles were donated and delivered by a very generous donor who wishes to remain anonymous. This is what we needed to get us started. A dream come true for many of us, but an undertaking that took the efforts of many, many volunteers on Saturdays during the fall. The weather on most of those Saturday work sessions was less than pleasant but we persevered. The lights are up and will be operating next spring, all at no cost to the taxpayers. This could not have come about without the generosity of organizations such as the Williams Foundation, Canaan Lions Club, the Mount Cardigan Fish & Game Club, Granite State Electric, the Mascoma Savings Bank Foundation and many donations from citizens willing to support this project.

Thanks to F. C. Hammond and Sons the river has been rerouted away from Williams Field. He and his crew worked a twelve hour day in a very impressive display of coordinated effort bringing the riverbank back where it belongs.

During the summer we were again treated to 'Concerts on the Common" on Tuesday evenings and the gazebo has been decorated for the holidays.

Looking back over this report, it strikes one what can be done with volunteer help. Here in the Mascoma Valley there is never a shortage of people willing to give of themselves to make this a better place to live.

This committee meets the third Wednesday of the month at the Senior Center, if you would like to get involved please join us, we are always looking for volunteers.

Respectively Submitted,
Marvin Rocke, Director

Parks & Recreation Committee Membership List

Marvin Rocke, Chairman
Helen Rocke
Wally Medeiros
Carol Medeiros
Ellen Rocke
William Tibbits
Candace Carter
Mary Noordsy
Jackie Lary
Bob Goerke

POLICE DEPARTMENT

2002 Year End Report

I am once again honored to present the Town of Canaan Police Department's Year End Report. We have seen, once again, a very busy year in town marked by everything from dog complaints to domestic violence issues, bad checks to burglaries, and the list goes on. What always makes me proud is the way our officers and staff handle these calls; with professionalism, courtesy and respect.

In 2002, we handled 6,413 calls for service, again, another busy year for us. We also updated our computer system in the station, have installed computers into the cars, and implemented an extensive training system to keep Officers abreast of new and critical information. A special thanks to Les Lundberg, Steve Iacuzzi, Bob Goerke and the many others who helped in getting the police department computers networked. This was a daunting task that encompassed many donated hours of effort and we are certainly grateful for their time.

During the year, we honored Officer Todd A. Baravalle as Officer of the Year for 2001. The Officer of the Year honor is presented to the nominee chosen by all members of the Canaan Police Department staff who has throughout the year consistently shown exceptional dedication to duty, superior performance, motivation, and a positive attitude in the service of the department and the community. Todd certainly earned this award for 2001 and we are very proud of him. The 2002 Officer of the Year will be named at an awards banquet in March of 2003.

In 2002, I was honored to represent the Town of Canaan during intensive training at the FBI's National Academy in Quantico, Virginia. It was a fantastic learning experience and I have already implemented ideas and techniques into our agency that I learned

during the 10-week training. The knowledge and connections made from this experience are immeasurable and will be of great help to the town for many years. During this time, Officers and staff in the agency stepped up and filled the hole I left in staffing and I am very grateful to them for the extra work and burdens they took on. I would like to publicly thank Officers Samuel Frank, Todd Baravalle, Matthew Bunten, Cpl. Matthew Wilson, and Officers Bruce Jerome and Drew Lazarus and Administrative Assistant Ellen Wilson. Without them I would have missed the training opportunity of a lifetime and they should be congratulated on a job well done.

Also assisting over the summer months was Sergeant Rolf Schemmel. Unfortunately Rolf left Canaan for another agency and we certainly wish him well in his new position. Rolf was a great attribute to our agency during his tenure here and we sincerely miss him as a member of our staff. If you have noticed a new face patrolling the roads, you have probably seen Officer Jennifer Kamorowski. Officer Kamorowski is a full time officer with us and is a welcomed addition to our staff. We look forward to outstanding service from her in the years to come. In the promotion category, Officer Matthew Bunten was promoted from part-time status to full-time. Officer Bunten, at the time of this publishing, is in the full-time academy and we are confident he'll provide the Town with the same level of excellence he put forth in his part-time years.

Our School Resource Officer Program has been hard at work in the Mascoma schools in town. In 2002, we saw a *huge* difference in juvenile-related complaints. In 2001, there were 762 juvenile related incidents; in 2002 we saw 356. This is a drastic change and is attributed directly to the hard work of our School Resource Officers and that of the Mascoma Schools. Together, this team is making positive changes everyday in the lives of our youth. Officers Todd Baravalle and Matthew Bunten have split the duties during

the 2002-year and have provided outstanding service to our schools. In addition to handling any calls that may arise with juveniles, they prepare and teach classes to our youth on law enforcement related issues, attend meetings regarding school safety, and many other related duties. We should be proud to have such an outstanding program and such cooperation within our community's schools.

The Canaan Police Department, in 2002, implemented many new tools to make the job of Officers safer and to make the Department's job of policing our community more effective. We purchased STOP STICKS in response to the growing number of police pursuits in our community. These are used to slowly and safely deflate a fleeing suspect's tires and assist in quickly bringing about a safe and effective conclusion to police pursuits when they are used. Through the state, Canaan received a breath machine that is used to determine the blood alcohol content of a person suspected of driving while under the influence of alcohol. This machine was provided at no cost to the town and is truly effective during our DWI and other alcohol related offenses booking processes. Through a grant, we received three portable digital radios that are on-line with the new state digital radio system. In the near future, we hope to provide all of our officers with this vital communication link. Also through an outstanding grant that was written by Town Administrator Steve Iacuzzi, *three* Canaan cruisers will be outfitted with Automatic Emergency Defibrillators to be used in CPR situations and will assist in reviving victims of heart problems. This grant was very competitive and Mr. Iacuzzi did a fantastic job of recognizing the need for these instruments, compiling all the necessary information and preparing the grant. Thanks again to Steve. We have installed a new records management system in the department and in in-car computers. This system will help to keep officers on road more as they will be able to do much of their paperwork right in the car. We also added a new booking system that saves literally hours of paperwork for officers during the otherwise cumbersome booking process.

These, and many other additions are tools that bring the Canaan Police Department into the 21st Century. Officers received training in many aspects of policing, from crime scene recovery, interviewing, and mass casualty response to hostage negotiations, community policing and motor vehicle law updates among many other topics.

As the Town of Canaan grows, so is the Canaan Police Department. We are committed to providing up to date services in a professional manner for our citizens. For 2003, we will continue to serve the community's needs with caring, professionalism and respect. We look forward to the on-going process of working with the Town citizen, the Canaan Fire Department, Canaan FAST, Highway Department, Town Mechanic and all the administrative and special offices, agencies, and committees. The relationship we have fostered in the community is our most valuable asset. We look forward to working more with citizens in the community. In 2003, we are proposing a citizen's academy, and we want to begin a neighborhood watch system within the community.

In closing, thank you again for your support of the Canaan Police Department. I am honored to serve as your Chief of Police and look forward to many more years of service. As always, please feel free to stop by the Department or contact me at 523-7400 should you have any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

Timothy A. Cohen
Chief of Police

Canaan Police Department
Calls For Service
Year 2002

Animals	
Animal Bites	3
Lost Animal	45
Other Animal Complaints	171
Total	219
Assist	
Ambulance Assist	143
Fire Assist	37
K9 Assist	13
Assist Other Agencies	160
Assist — All Other	25
Total	378
Civil Complaints	
Civil Standby	21
Landlord/Tenant/Neighbor Issues	7
Civil Matters	60
Total	88
Court Issues	
Papers Served	18
Subpoena Served	106
Total	124
Crimes Against Persons	
Disorderly Conduct	71
Criminal Threats	31
Death Investigation	1
Shots Fired	13
Fraud	1

Theft/Shoplifting	69
Child Abuse	8
Unwanted Subject	6
Disobeying an Officer	4
Assault	31
Harassment/Stalking	53
Bad Check Cases	22
Sexual Assault	19
Total	329

Crimes Against Property

Criminal Mischief	68
Arson	2
Burglary	16
Criminal Trespassing	26
Littering	28
Total	140

Criminal (All Other)

Arrest	148
Protective Custody	9
Drug Offenses	19
Warrants/Served	29
Probation/Paroles Violation	1
Total	206

Domestic Issues

Restraining Order Violations	1
Domestic Violence Petition Served	18
Mental Issues	4
Suicide Threats	4
Possession of Weapon	5
Domestic Disturbance	32
Total	64

General Service	
Message Delivery	75
Transport	67
Alarms	63
911 Hang-ups	35
Directed Patrol/Requests	394
Welfare Checks	34
Open Building	30
Abandoned Vehicle	10
Missing Person	10
Criminal Records/Pistol Permits	122
Road Conditions/Hazards	76
VIN Verification	96
Special Service/Detail	97
Security Checks	103
Police Information	204
Towed Vehicle	58
Parking Complaints	32
Disabled Vehicle	65
Lockouts	77
All Other	121
Total	1,769

Investigations	
Follow-up/Interview	605
NCIC Entry	8
NCIC Cancellation	6
Suspicious Activity	103
PTI	0
Lost Property	9
Found/Returned Property (All Issues)	80
Suicide Issues	1
Total	812

Juvenile	
Tobacco Violation	21
Truancy	26
Juvenile Complaints	122
Minors in Possession of Alcohol	11
Resource Officer - School	173
Runaway	3
Total	356

Motor Vehicle	
Speeding/Summons	216
Speeding/Warning	558
Operating Suspended/Non-Licensed	32
Registration/Insepction Violations	189
Reckless Driving	93
DWI/Alcohol Related	30
ATV/Boating/Snowmobile	15
Motor Vehicle Accident	99
Motor Vehicle Accident w/Injury	1
Motor Vehicle Accident Hit & Run	5
General Lighting Requirements	279
Motor Vehicle — All Other	411
Total	1,928

Total Calls for Service 2002	
Calls For Service	4,485
Motor Vehicles	1,928
Total	6,413

Canaan Town Library

Canaan Town Library Annual Report 2002

This has been an exciting year for the Library, with many achievements and much progress towards more! With the tireless help of wonderful volunteers, trustees and our librarian, Amy Thurber, the Library has expanded into the space allocated to us in the downstairs of the building. This project took planning, construction, finishing, furnishing, carpeting and, finally book moving. We are grateful to Jon and Joy Putnam and the Dartmouth Bookstore for the donations of books and bookshelves and to the many who built, patched, painted and lugged. The downstairs now houses a cozy, friendly place to peruse the non-fiction collection. We encourage all to visit this new space.

Ongoing efforts to improve the Library and its services have produced considerable results this year, thanks to the wonderful and dedicated staff and volunteers, for whom we are very grateful. In particular, our energetic and creative Librarian, Amy Thurber, continues to lead these efforts in a thoughtful, cost-effective and enthusiastic way.

This year saw the initiation of the first adult Book Group, which meets monthly. The book sales held in May and August were very successful, enabling us to once again apply for and receive a grant from the Libris Foundation for a large collection of children's books. Story Hour was held every other week and a new Young Girl's Reading Group was formed and meets weekly. During this year we continued to display the works of local artists, conducted a very successful summer reading program, rich with story hours and art projects and ending with the ever-popular ice cream social. Again, the three summer Meetinghouse Readings were interesting, varied, and well attended. The year was punctuated by the retirement of Jo Moulton, who served the

Library tirelessly for so long, and long time trustee, Nancy Loomis. We wish them both well and thank them for all their efforts on behalf of the Library. They will be missed!

During the summer, The Trustees met again to set goals for the future of the Canaan Town Library. This year was marked by a significant increase in library usage, (30% increase in library cards issued); a sure sign that we're on the right track. Our plans are to continue to expand the offerings available at the library. For example, we are planning classes in Internet use, a book delivery service to people who are unable to visit the library, welcome notes to new residents and new babies in town, and expansion of afternoon hours to encourage more use by students.

The Board of Trustees very much appreciates the financial support from the Town of Canaan, as well as from our loyal private supporters. We urge all members of the community to visit, use, and make suggestions for the Library. We look forward to an exciting 2003 and thank you for your continuing support.

Respectfully Submitted,

Beth Wolf, Chair

Joanna Carr
Patsy Carter
Sue Marcoulier
Cindy Neily
Canaan Town Library Board of Trustees

Canaan Town Library
Librarian's Report 2002

COLLECTION

BOOKS	23,679
VIDEO	911
AUDIO	554
Total Collection December 16, 2002	25, 144

DISCARDS

BOOKS	349
VIDEO	9
AUDIO	11
Total Discards December 16, 2002	369

CIRCULATION

Adult Fiction	6331
Adult Nonfiction	2978
Juvenile	9714
Magazine	2293
Video	3523
Audio	1373
Total Circulation December 16, 2002	26,212

REGISTERED BORROWERS

Total December 16, 2002	1113

INTERLIBRARY LOAN

Materials Borrowed	159
Materials Loaned	18

The Canaan Town Library had a very successful year. We began a library website (http://www.geocities.com/athurber43/Canaanlibrary1.html) to help our patrons conduct research and surf the web. We also began a lively book discussion group, "The Basement Bookies" who meet once a month to discuss books classic to contemporary. The library was the recipient of a national grant from the Libri Foundation. The library raised $350.00 at a book sale and will receive over $1000.00 dollars worth of children's books.

The library has also renovated and opened a portion of the downstairs to hold our non-fiction collection. This immense project could not have been completed without the help of many local volunteers who gave their time, energy, skills, and community spirit. I would like to personally thank, Phillip Carter, Barry Davis, George and Sue Marcoulier, Elwin and Cindy Neily, Pam and Robert Wotton, Peter Thurber, Nancy Pike, Jenna McAlister, Joanna Carr, Kerri MacPherson, Marty Pusey, Maureen O'Reilly, Fred's Floor Covering, Dave Cioffi of the Dartmouth Book Store, Phil and Cindy Blood, and The Cardigan Mountain School students.

Joanne Moulton, a dedicated library employee for more than 30 years retired this past September. The Library and many community members sent Jo off in great style with a wonderful going away party. Jo has taken a great opportunity to retire and

move closer to her grandchildren in Bridport, Vermont. We will miss Jo's friendly attitude and great library knowledge.

A big thank you also goes out to everyone who donated books, time and money towards the improvement of our library. Our library could not be as wonderful as it is without the help of the following volunteers: Barbara McAlister, Jenny Hooker, Ben Yamashita, Samantha Baker, Sharon Duffy, Pat Iacuzzi, Vicki McAlister, Bekki Dow, David Pike, Jim McAlister, Steven McAlister, and Phillip Briggs. Finally, I would like to thank the staff of the Canaan Town Library, Jenna McAlister, Nancy Pike and Pamela Wotton. Without these wonderful people, the library would not be the warm and inviting place that it is.

Amy Thurber, Librarian

Town Administrator

I am honored to have served the citizens of Canaan for another year. I have dedicated my efforts over the year to improving the level of all the services that our citizens receive. A project of this magnitude can not be accomplished overnight, but based on the quality of the Town's employees, I am confident that it's a reachable goal. I would like to take this opportunity to thank:

- The Board of Selectmen (Jeff Majewski, Tim Lewis, and Bob Goerke) for their allegiances to the citizens of Canaan and their unselfish dedication of time and resources.

- Terri Purcell, Brenda Souza, Joe Butterfield, and Nelson Therriault for their tireless efforts, patience, and understanding throughout the year. Their level of skills and talent is a credit to their professions.

- The staff at the Highway Department for the many hours of work that they have put in towards improving the roadways of Canaan.

- Ed Morse and Debra MacDonald for their hours of service to the community.

- Larry Brabant for doing such a wonderful job in keeping the Town's equipment up and running. I have found his input to be invaluable and his knowledge to be vast.

- Bill Bellion and his staff for the many time that they risk limb and body fighting fires; for risking it all to save lives.

- Tim Cohen and his department for providing our Town with an exemplary level of service and an image that is a credit to our community.

- Ross Longley, Mike Laliberty, and Jon Lounder for their hours of aiding the public at the Canaan Transfer Station.

- Marvin Rocke for his tireless efforts to install lighting at William Field and for dedicating himself to maintaining the parks and recreation fields of Canaan which are enjoyed by young and old alike.

- I would like to give a special thanks to all of our citizens who give of their time to serve the community by being members of the various Boards, Committees, and Commissions that help keep our Town Running.

- Amy Thurber and her staff for maintaining the Town's Library which provides our citizens with an invaluable service and vast resources.

Lastly, I sincerely thank the citizens of Canaan for their support and the opportunity to have served you over the year.

Respectfully submitted by,

Steve Iacuzzi
Town Administrator

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT

Assessing 2002 was very busy. We are working very closely with our monitor from the Department of Revenue Administration as well as with our assessors at Avitar Associates to achieve our certification.

Real estate sales have been very strong. The demand for residential homes and developable land is high and sales prices have increased dramatically. These sales prices are used to set the equalization ratio for our town. RSA 75:1 requires that all municipalities shall appraise all taxable property at its full and true market value – 100%. The New Hampshire Constitution, Pt 1, Article 12, 102., requires that all assessments be proportional.

In March, you will be receiving your Property Inventory Form. For those of you who had an inventory penalty on your taxes, this is the form that needs to be returned *by April 15th* (there are no exceptions), in order to avoid that penalty. If you have added or removed anything from your property, please let us know on this form. It is also important to note, that if you do not return this form, *you lose your right to an abatement appeal* should you disagree with your property assessment. Please be sure to list all persons occupying the premises and let us know how may dogs you have. If you wish to have a receipt, fill out the receipt section and include a self-addressed stamped envelope.

If you have questions regarding your property assessment, please come in and ask to see a copy of your card. We will be happy to explain the details and help you to understand how your land is assessed and how that assessment compares equally to other properties throughout the town.

Respectfully Submitted,
Terri Purcell

REPORT OF CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER

The Town of Canaan is going through some major growth. We have grown in house construction by 2 to 3 percent a year for the last few years. This past year there were 40 new home building permits issued. I believe next year will be very close to 5 percent growth. I believe everyone has heard about the 40-unit housing development going in across from Little Goose Pond. This presents the question should we have some controls to govern this high rate of growth?

The Town of Canaan has also instituted the Enhanced 911 service, which is designed to aid emergency services in locating the property where services are needed. Every major building should have a physical address to aid in this process. If you have not received a 911 address, please notify me so we can rectify the problem. At the time of this report, the Town offices are busy updating the files with the new addresses and locating new buildings that have been built since the State 911 committee was formed. The residents are responsible for installing the numbers on their property according to the directions mailed out. If you did not receive this document or misplaced it there are copies available at the Town offices.

The Building Officials Code Administration (BOCA), the Southern Building Code Congress International (SBCCI), and the Uniform Building Code (UBC) have united and will be known as the International Code Counsel (ICC). What this means is that everyone will be working on the same set of codes which will make it easier for engineers, contractors, etc., to conform to the codes. The only exceptions will be if a community adopts more stringent codes.

The State Legislature has enacted a new state law, effective January 1, 2003, which prohibits the residential burning of

household trash. The intent of the law is to reduce public health risks by reducing the many hazardous pollutants such as dioxin into the air. The ban prohibits burning of household trash, including packaging materials, coated or laminated papers, rubber, painted or treated wood, coated or treated cardboard, oily rags, and animal, vegetable, and kitchen waste. The ban does not prohibit the outdoor burning of clean wood, leaves and small brush, campfire wood and charcoal, if authorized by the local forest fire warden.

Respectfully Submitted
Joseph Butterfield

Financial Coordinator

It has been a very busy first three months in my new position. Much time was spent learning the bookkeeping system the town has used for several years and building the necessary tables for the new system we will use starting in 2003.

I am looking forward to being an active participant in the continuous effort to improve the information available to the citizens and various committee members.

I have learned a great deal more about what goes on in the town office and I am very impressed with the level of service and professional conduct provided by our town employees.

The Department Heads have been very cooperative in trying to manage the town's funds in the most efficient manner and we are exploring some ideas toward that goal.

I look forward to serving the town in what I expect to be a very challenging year ☺!

Respectfully submitted,
Brenda Souza

Human Services

This has been an active year and we had many interesting and learning experiences.

We have been working with a new computer program developed by the N.H. Local Welfare Administrators Association for local municipalities. This program will make the Human Services Department more efficient. We also attended several meetings, seminars and workshops to better serve our town and community in the Human Services area.

We, again, wish to thank all the other Town Departments for their assistance and time to keep this Department running smoothly this year.

The Human Services Department assisted 33 families for a total of 84 persons.

The Town of Canaan has paid vendors for the following services during 2002:

Rent	$14,500.00
Food	1,135.00
Fuel	1,394.00
Funeral expenses	425.00
Electricity	693.00
Miscellaneous	200.00

The Department wishes to thank those who paid the Town back for assistance given, either by our programs or by financial reimbursements.

We look forward to working with all the Town Officers and Departments in 2003.

Nelson P. Therriault
Human Services Director

FROM THE DESK OF THE:
TOWN CLERK/COLLECTOR

The year of 2002 has been a real exciting year here at the office. We have upgraded both the Motor Vehicle software and the Tax Collector software. They have both been converted into windows versions and sometimes they cause nightmares, but overall both programs should prove a big improvement to the everyday functions of the office.

We have also been networked with the entire office of the Assessing Department and the Administrator thereby allowing each office to share information very easy and quite often eliminates a duplication of work, this is a very big asset to this office.

My new Deputy, Debbie MacDonald has been very helpful throughout the past year. She has been real busy with changes at her full-time job and trying to stay abreast of all the updated changes here at the office. Next time you have the pleasure of visiting our office please feel free to thank Debbie for a job well done, I know I do.

Thanks for your patience while waiting in line and I wish you all a very prosperous year.

Ed Morse
Town Clerk/Collector

Treasurers Report 2002

I have served as treasurer only since October when Brenda Souza transferred to the bookkeeper position in the selectmen's office. Brenda did an excellent job of setting up the files on the computer, keeping good records, and making sure the town received the best interest rate possible.

This has been another year of interest rates dropping and it was the first time in years that the town has borrowed money in anticipation of taxes, which happened in November just before the tax bills were mailed. The town selectmen are working together to keep expenses down in order to meet our general operating budgets.

I will do the best job that I can to serve the town in my role.

Helen Rocke, Treasurer

2002 TOWN REPORT INPUT
BUDGET COMMITTEE

The Canaan Budget Committee was established in 1943. It is composed of nine members, elected to staggered three-year terms, and one Selectman, representing the Selectboard.

Chapter 32, Municipal Budget Law, establishes duties and responsibilities of the budget committee. RSA 32:1-13 apply to all towns that adopt their budgets at an annual town meeting. RSA 32:14-23 apply to towns with budget committees.

The Budget Committee responsibilities are to:

1. Prepare the budget for submission to each annual or special meeting of the voters.

2. Confer with the governing body and with other officers, department heads and other officials, relative to estimated costs, revenues anticipated, and services performed to the extent necessary by the budget committee. It shall be the duty of all such officers and other persons to furnish such pertinent information to the budget committee.

3. Conduct the public hearings required.

Meetings are held on the third Thursday of each month during the year to review the current budget and to prepare the budget for the following year. Additional meetings are scheduled as necessary during budget preparation in the fall. Appropriate department heads or other responsible personnel are invited to discuss their budget elements. The public is welcome at all meetings.

Meetings from March-September are used to review the current budget in preparation for developing the next year's budget. That process starts in October when department heads present their proposed budget followed by a second meeting when Selectmen present their proposed budget. Subsequent meetings review budget line items in detail with department heads, Selectmen and others with pertinent information. The budget is finalized in December and a public hearing on the proposed budget is held in January. The proposed budget is then available for discussion at the Deliberative Session in February where it may be amended by voters. The resulting budget is then voted up or down in its entirety at the Town Meeting in March. If it is voted down the town reverts to the previous year's budget.

The MS-7 Budget Form and the Budget for 2003 and Expenditures for the Year 2002 report contained in this document are the result of that process.

This year we have tried to obtain more comprehensive information so that better judgments can be made to ensure that town requirements are supported but are balanced against the town's ability to pay for them. We hope to make more progress in this area and to improve cooperation and information sharing in the coming year.

Dave Barney, Chairman
Dave McAlister, Vice Chairman
Bill MacDonald, Secretary
Phil Carter
Russell Lester
Sam Lowe
Marty Pusey
Peter Solomon
Hayward Stafford
Jeff Majewski, Selectmen's Representative

Report of the: Conservation Commission

The Conservation Commission has been monitoring wetlands through review of Dredge and Fill Permits, monitoring properties in conservation easement, and strategizing for the future of conservation in the Town of Canaan. In addition to these ongoing tasks, we have accomplished additional goals in the last year.

At the beginning of the year, the commission collaborated with the Mascoma Watershed Conservation Council and the Upper Valley Land Trust to preserve a 923-acre parcel known as the Bear Pond property. This collaboration involved grant-writing, fundraising, site visits with professionals, and many hours in the field becoming familiar with the land. This is a very special parcel with a quaking bog that has unusual plants and a rocky outcrop providing good habit for uncommon animals. The parcel also acts as a major aquifer and ground water recharge area abating flooding conditions that can occur along the s-curves of Route 4. The MWCC is now the owner and they will continue to pay taxes on this parcel.

In August, we sponsored the sixth annual lecture at the Meeting House on Canaan Street. Northam Parr gave a talk on the many aspects and benefits to managing forests for multiple use. Len Reitsma inserted some words about the effects of different harvest regimes on particular species of birds as an example of the effects of forest management at municipality scales. Mr. Parr is a county Cooperative Extension forester through the University System of NH. He is available for consultation and describes personal consultations with private forest owners as one of his

favorite parts of his job. Feel free to contact him at his office in Woodsville, NH if you would like to walk you property with him and discuss management options.

The commission continues to pursue conservation of critical open space in the town. One of the several tasks of any of the state's Conservation Commissions is to assist in planning for the future. Current national and regional trends in human population growth as well as the fact that New Hampshire is currently the fastest growing state in New England combine to make this planning for the future a very important task. As well, the affordable housing crunch in our area will certainly result in increased development in our town. The commission continues to convene meetings with the Selectboard and Planning Board to discuss land use planning.

Judith Kushner and Jim Burnett resigned this year from the commission. They worked hard for many years on the commission and their efforts and dedication will be sorely missed.

As always, the commission is happy to answer any questions or address any concerns related to conservation issues. We also invite any interested town citizens to provide their input on issues.

Respectfully submitted:
John Allen
Don Blunt
Kate Brooks, Secretary
Dan Lambert
Len Reitsma, Chairman
Alice Schori

2002 Treasurer's Conservation Commission Annual Report

Reference	Account #	Beginning Balance 12/31/2001	Ending Balance 12/31/2002
NH Deposit Investment Pool	NH0104750003	$4,273.60	$14,219.43
Service Credit Union Savings	26000112	$102.55	$103.85
Service Credit Union Checking	9391342825	$97.30	$172.30
Receipts:			
	Article 14 Proceeds	$9,809.18	
	Donation	$75.00	
	Interest	$1.30	
	Investment income	$136.65	
Disbursements:			
	Expenses		
		$14,495.58	
			$14,495.58

Treasurer:_____

Note: $5,220.68 was deposited in January from the 25% of Land Use Change collected in 2001 as voted on Article 14 of the 3/14/2000 Town Meeting.

Note: $4,588.50 was deposited from the 50% up to a max of $5,000 of Land Use Change Tax collected in 2002 as voted on Article 4 of the 3/12/2002 Town Meeting.

Canaan Planning Board 2002

The growth of the Upper Valley along with Dartmouth-Hitchcock Hospital and Dartmouth College expansion has escalated the push of development and population more adroitly in our direction. This year the Canaan Planning Board has (to date) dealt with twenty-one subdivision applications, including a forty-lot development across from Little Goose Pond. This quantity of development, with the prognosis of more to come, should sound a warning to our community that, if left unprotected, our town will be severely and, perhaps, negatively, affected by unrestricted growth.

Last year a Community Profile was performed using the assets and experience of the New Hampshire Cooperative Extension and a Community Profile Committee composed of members of the community, the Planning Board, and Selectboard. There was a weekend of meetings to which the entire Canaan Community was invited. The results of the weekend were an identification of issues facing the Town; a condensing of the issues into ten categories; and the formation of committees who eventually were to deal with at least one topic in the form of a pro-active project. One of the issues that was designated as most important by a strong majority of those in attendance was that of long range planning and land use controls. The committees could not have been more prescient in their findings.

The Planning Board has embarked on a program to re-write our Master Plan, which the State suggests should be done at least every ten years. Part of the re-write program will involve significant community input and a questionnaire asking the community to address their concerns, hopes and dreams for our

Town. The Planning Board will use this information to assist them in their ongoing attempt to deal with growth and development within the community.

In 2003, the Planning Board will continue to perform its regular duties including: the review of subdivision applications, update the Capital Improvement Plan, regulate excavations, and perform the other functions that are the nuts and bolts of our existence. Furthermore, we will begin the Master Plan re-write/ update and will take another look at adopting effective land use controls.

Our meetings are held in the Senior Center in Canaan Village on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month. The meetings are open to the public and we encourage all interested people attend and participate.

Andrew Musz, Chairman
December 5, 2002

Canaan Historical Society and Museum

The 2002 season brought 311 visitors from the area, across the country and abroad to the museum. We opened July 6th, and closed on October 26th. On Friday, June 7, we had sixty-eight fourth graders from the Canaan Elementary School along with their teachers and volunteers. This group spent the day at the Museum and Old Meeting House in observance of New Hampshire History day. The students were very interested in the articles in the Museum used by our early settlers. Several of these young people are descendents of Canaan's First families and are eager to learn about our town's history. Tuesday, August 6, we had a special opening for forty members of the Outdoor Recreation for Senior's group.

Again this year we had numerous items presented to the society. Several compositions written by Zeta L. Gardner in 1912, when she was a student at the Canaan High School were donated by Muriel F. Cole. We received a baseball glove, the gift of Louis Audette. This belonged to a Canaan boy, Alton H. Webster, a young paratrooper who lost his life in the early stages of the Normandy Invasion, in June, 1944. Alton was the son of Lynn and Vida Webster and he was an outstanding football and baseball player. We were also given a baseball uniform worn several seasons by another one of Canaan's finest, our own Harry Tucker. The shirt says Canaan on the front and Bunky's Lunch across the back. Harry was one of the greatest pitchers to ever participate in the small town leagues. He loved the sport and continued to play and coach through out his life. The uniform was given to us by Larry and Cyndy Tibbets. Donna Kimball - Smith donated a clear glad bottle that says J.M. McDonnell, Canaan, NH on it. John McDonnell operated a store in 1907 on the site of John Dow's Hardware

Store. Mr. McDonnell sold beer and liquor. An old ledger was brought to us by James Miller. This dates back to the 1840's and was used by Jesse Martin who owned a store on Canaan Street. Elmer Shuttleworth presented the society with an ancient family bible. His mother, Florence Atkins, was a school teacher. She taught at Birch Corner, the Story Division and the Canaan High School. Ronald Monroe who grew up in Canaan Center and now lives in Mass, sent us several old family photos. A pair of eye glasses, two old style razors, a small hand saw and a chicken feeder were donated by Mrs. William Tansey.

Our Museum Historian, Donna Dunkerton, has compiled another book of Laser prints of Canaan pictures and other points of interest. Also, local artist, Mikel Wells, loaned the society several paintings, which were displayed in the Museum for the summer. On Saturday, August 3, the Ori Calliope was at the Museum. Our visitors were entertained for the afternoon with circus music by Jack Snyder. Jack is the new owner of this prize piece of history. We look forward to his return in August of 2003.

The Society recently had the last of the old snow rollers restored. Through the efforts of several local businesses, families, and individuals the snow roller is ready to be returned to the Museum. In the Spring a shelter will be constructed to protect it from the weather. The roller was built a century ago by Ralph Blain. We are planning an open house in recognition of this when we begin our 2003 season in July.

We still have Canaan Town Histories for sale at $76.00 plus $5.00 if the book is mailed. These histories are reprinted from the IE. Wallace Town History, originally printed in 1910.

The Museum is registered with the National Trust for Historic Preservation in Washington, D.C.

Please come for a visit and learn more of Canaan's past.

Respectfully submitted
Daniel W. Fleetham, Chairman
John A. Ricard, Vice Chairman
Carol Bergeron, Secretary
Reggie Barney, Treasurer
Donna Zani – Dunkerton,
Historian and Corresponding Secretary

MEETING HOUSE COMMITTEE 2002

Use of the Meeting House this year was as follows:

Committee meetings:
Lake Association
Historic District
Meeting House Committee
Conservation Committee
Bird and Garden Club
Goose Pond Association

Activities were:
Hart Pond play rehearsals
Library Readings (3)
Methodist Church service
I.R.S. Public Art Show
Private weddings (2)
Political rally
Private wedding reception

THE MEETING HOUSE IS BEING USED!!!!!

No restoration work was done this year.

Treasurer's balance – January 1, 2002	$ 33,577.01
Income	20,292.09
Expenses	0
Balance on hand – December 31, 2002	$ 53,809.10

Respectfully submitted:

James R. Miller II, Chairman
Carolyn Barney
Mary Grimm
Edward D. McGee
Roxane Waldner
Thomas Geoghegan
Fred Majewski
Nan Munsey
Bejamin S. Yamashita

Jeffrey Majewski, (Selectmen's Representative)

Our Community Organization's Reports

Friends of Canaan Main Street, Inc.

P.O. Box 452
Canaan, New Hampshire 03741

October 18, 2002

We have been working for the past eight years to make a difference in downtown Canaan Village - to create a welcoming, inviting image for residents and travelers. To make our streets safe for drivers and pedestrians. To reinforce the efforts to encourage new business in an attractive center. We want our image to reflect the quality of the caring people who live here.

So, what has been accomplished?

Since 1995, we have concentrated on using flowerbeds, flower buckets, flower boxes, and plantings throughout the Village - an ongoing effort to improve the look of downtown. Countless volunteer hours have been spent weeding, seeding, and mulching the gardens.

- We created and maintain Old Depot Park with a new sign, a fence and plantings planned for 2003, restored stair rails and posts at the Senior Center, and provided ***Welcome to Canaan Village*** signs, as well as the ***Town Crier*** display case at the municipal building.

- We held our second annual winter golf tournament, a fun fundraiser.

- We help sponsor the Concerts in the Park, free entertainment for our friends and neighbors.

- At Old Home Days, we sold Canaan postcards, produced from Jackie Lary's collection, and offered lemonade and information.

- Members have produced three editions of the Canaan Business and Services Directory, the third with the assistance of a grant from Mascoma Savings Bank. The Directory is a well designed and easy to read reference that reflects well on those listed.

- We work cooperatively with other community groups for the good of Canaan Village.

Transportation Enhancement Grant

Two years ago, the Design Workshop indicated that there are safety and aesthetic issues in downtown Canaan, including the need for sidewalks, reducing the amount of pavement, adding attractive signs, trees, and planned parking. Main Street members and the Canaan Business Group worked with elected officials to prepare and present a Transportation Enhancement Grant proposal that would improve the safety and appearance of Canaan Village. The proposal received overwhelming support from voters at the March Town Meeting. In July, Canaan was notified that the funding had been awarded.

Now that Canaan has been awarded funding, where do we go from here?

Our Selectmen have chosen Tim Lewis to manage and oversee the guidelines of the project. The Town now must choose an engineering and design professional to study the existing conditions, the design criteria and proposed layout, any structural and environmental concerns, and produce a cost estimate.

The State requires that the public be involved in the planning and design; it is especially important to make sure property owners' concerns are heard and needs met. Once all necessary approvals and permits are completed, the construction bids will go out and be awarded on a competitive basis.

The TE Fund is a reimbursement program. Funds for design and engineering work will be available in 2004 and funds for reimbursing the actual construction costs will be available in 2005. Once the project is underway, the Town will submit receipts to the State and will receive 80% of the total cost.

By 2005, Canaan Village will enjoy the results of the hard work of many dedicated people.

What's Next?
Main Street will continue to study many of the recommendations that came out of the Workshop, and to brainstorm for ideas to continue our work.

Some of our projects include:

- Maintenance of signs
- Plans for a Farmers Market next summer
- Update the presence of Friends on the town web page
- Research the possibility of a Canaan calendar
- Increase flower planting
- Continue support of the Concert in the Park
- Assist in any way in the implementation of the Transportation Enhancement Grant

Our monthly meetings are held the second Tuesday evening of each month, from 7 to 8:30 pm at the Mascoma Senior Center. We invite your suggestions and ideas for projects. There is plenty of opportunity to get specific projects completed. If you have pride in your town and wish to support our efforts to make Canaan Village an attractive and vital place to live and work, join us. Call David Cushman, President at 523-7573. Your participation is needed and welcomed.

Mt. Cardigan Snowmobile Club

PO Box 193

Canaan, NH 03741

Club Officers:

President: Bruce Sunnerberg (603) 523-8352
Vice President: Mac Johnston (603) 632-9487
Secretary: Paula Stone (603) 523-9995
Treasurer: Helen Rocke (603) 523-7712
Trail Administrator: Dan Fleetham (603) 523-7364
Trail Master: Keith Monmaney (603) 523-4849

Club meetings are held every third Friday of the month beginning at 7:30 PM (Sept.-April) at the Mt. Cardigan Fish and Game Clubhouse on Ball Park Road, just 5/10 mile south of the post office on Rt.4.

Our equipment and groomers are kept in the quonset hut by the Police Station on Route 118. We meet every Sunday for work days, call Keith or Bruce if you would like to help on one of our projects. We have been building new wider bridges to accommodate the larger groomer and to make the trails safer.

Please ride safely and respect the property we ride on.

Mascoma Valley 4-H Club

The Mascoma Valley 4-H was first chartered in the late 1920's. The club has been very active up to the present day and currently has 19 members. The organizational leader of the club is Todd Darling, with project leader Jeff Tarbox, Skip Pendleton, and Al Posnanski. The members take part in various classes throughout the year including woodworking, stained glass, small engine, shooting sports, rocketry, arts & crafts, and gardening where each member plans and finishes individual projects. Our business meetings are held on the first Monday of each month throughout the school year and we participate as a group in making larger projects, such as CO_2 Cars and snow globes. We also complete numerous community activities such as roadside clean-up, maintenance of the Schofield Cemetery, a blood drive, making Christmas favors for the senior citizens, and Christmas caroling. In the fall, we celebrate 4-H Sunday with a service at the Wayside Chapel and a nature walk, in which we learn about topography and past local events. We work with our sister 4-H club, the "Lilacs" to promote our famous annual Chicken Pie Supper at the 4-H club in West Canaan. At the end of each year in July, all of our member's individual projects and club projects are displayed at the North Haverhill Fair.

Submitted by:

Kyle Bean
Club Historian

Mount Cardigan Fish & Game Club

The Mount Cardigan Fish & Game Club got its beginning in the late 1940's. They acquired the land they still occupy from the Pierce family. The early fund raising efforts included chicken shoots which were very popular at that time.

For years the townspeople were treated to a bonfire and fireworks displays on the Fourth of July.

In the early 1970's the Lions Club and the Fish & Game Club formed a joint venture to build a snowmobile track behind the clubhouse. Having snowmobile races in the winter and automobile demolition derbies in the summer. Later the track was reengineered to accommodate motorcycle races, which are still very well attended.

Over the years the Fish & Game Club has supported the Boy Scouts, supplying meeting facilities, indoor and outdoor and camping area for hosting camporee and hike-a-thons. Other organizations like the snowmobile club use the clubhouse for its meeting place. The club is frequently used for different outings by organizations and family gatherings. Horse clubs and enduro bikers have used the club for trail ride headquarters.

Twice each year, the Fish and Game Club members conduct hunter safety classes, drawing people from around the area. These classes were received excellent reviews by the State Fish & Game Department this past season.

Today the basic function of the club is to raise funds for local charities and promote hunter safety, although we still maintain the shooting range for member use only.

Marvin Rocke, President

CANAAN OLD HOME DAYS
2002 REPORT

The Old Home Days weekend was held August 2nd, 3rd, & 4th. The theme was "America the Beautiful". Once again, thanks to the cooperation of "Mother Nature" and the continued support of the community and our many sponsors, the weekend was a huge success.

Each year the committee tries to incorporate a new idea or a new band. This year two new events were added for the pleasure of the children. The Moonwalk and a wandering clown were both big hits with the children. "The Moonlighters", a new band this year, provided a band concert on Sunday afternoon.

We continued to offer many familiar events such as the Soap Box Derby which is sponsored by the Canaan Lions Club, the Petting Farm Exhibit, Clogging by the Foggy Mountain Cloggers, the Saturday Night Dance, the Rubberball Tournament and the Horseshoe Tournament just to name a few.

Funds for the weekend activities are raised through donations, sponsors, craft fairs and sales of shirts, hats, etc. The Town also gives us a yearly contribution. We are fortunate to have been able to continue to provide excellent entertainment at no cost to those who attend the Old Home Day weekend events.

It takes many hours of planning to make this three-day event happen. Many of those who contribute to the success of this weekend are not members of the committee, but are members of sub-committees such as those who organize the Horseshoe Tournament and Rubberball Tournament, Soap Box Derby or by helping out at our sales booth selling t-shirts, etc. This is one way in which you can help out the Old Home Days Committee if you're not into meetings.

The committee meets every month with the exception of January and February. Meetings are held on the first Tuesday of the month. If you are interested in joining us, please contact one of the Canaan Old Home Days members. We are always looking for new members and new ideas. Please feel free to share your ideas or come and join the committee. We work hard but we have a lot of fun too. See you next year on August 1st, 2nd & 3rd, 2003.

Canaan Old Home Day Committee:

Co-Chairs:
John Ricard & Georgia Tilton

Members:
Harry & Audie Armstrong
Jean Ricard
Stella Butterfield
Ellen Rocke
Jackie Lary
Marvin & Helen Rocke
Lois Longley
Nelson Therriault

A Tribute to the Canaan Lions Club As They Celebrate Fifty Years

Thank you for your years of selfless dedication to our community! May your club prosper in the years to come, and may God bless each and every member. Our community is a better place due to your presence and we sincerely thank you.

Canaan Lions - A History

Lionism began in Chicago, Illinois in 1917.

It was Melvin Jones, an industrious insurance salesman who developed the concept of community service organization; that is today Lions Club International the world's largest service club organization.

The first Lions Club in New Hampshire was in Manchester, which was chartered in 1923. We congratulate them as they celebrate their 80th anniversary.

The history of the Canaan Lions Club dates back over five decades.

It was on the evening of August 28th, 1952, that business and professional men in Canaan were invited to attend an organizational gathering preparatory to the formation of a Lions Club. The meeting was conducted by Eric G. Purchos, special representative from Lions International headquarters in Chicago.

The Canaan club was sponsored by the Lebanon Lions Club which was chartered in 1928.

On September 16th, the second organizational meeting of the Canaan club was held at the Cobb House on Canaan Street. Daniel Fleetham was appointed Acting President with Edward Bennett as Acting Secretary, and Leo Remacle Acting Treasurer.

By November 11, 1952, twelve members had signed up to join the newly formed organization.

The Canaan Lions Club was chartered on April 24, 1953 under the direction of first president Daniel W. Fleetham, with the following fifteen chartered members.

Ronald "Skip" Hammond, James Ricard, Frank Clarke, Irving White, Jens Jensen, Roger "Leo" Remacle Sr., Israel Dinerman, Robert Shepard, Joseph Chandler, Edward Bennett, Dana Christy, Paul Tucker, George Sullivan, Leland Morrison, and Lawrence Talbert.

Dan will be 91 in February, he and Lawrence Talbert are the only surviving charter members. In the spring, the Canaan Lions will celebrate their 50th anniversary with Dan Fleetham as their current president. He is the only known charter president to do so!

Through the years this organization has sponsored as well as supported a variety of functions. Their primary interests are sight and hearing impairment. They are supporters of the New Hampshire Sight and Hearing Foundation.

Foremost on the list of their contributions to community welfare are the Cub Scouts, Boy Scout Troop 319, Varsity Scouts, and the various Little League baseball teams.

Their first project in June, 1953, was sponsoring the Midget baseball team. The needed funds were raised by the raffle of a television set.

In 1954, the Lions built a skating rink in the rear of the Methodist Church parking lot. The lumber came from F. C. Hammond's mill at a cost of $9.00. The rink was maintained for a number of years by Jim Ricard and later by Harry Tucker. This was the first winter the members put Christmas lights on the Village green.

Over the years, the club assisted in the maintenance of the public beach, donated to the community kindergarten when it was private, aided local fire departments and provided community safety services. The club has long been dedicated to the youth of the area, and regularly provided funding and personnel for drug education and bicycle safety programs in the towns.

In March of 1968, the Lions held their first snowmobile race at the Canaan Fairgrounds. After this, their membership began to increase.

At the national convention in 1969, the Canaan Lions were presented a plaque for the club that had the best recordkeeping for fewer than fifty memberships. They also received a plaque for second place club with the largest membership gain and first place on net gain.

In October of 1969, the club joined the New Hampshire Snowmobile Association. In October of 1970, a snowmobile committee was formed and a snowmobile trailer was raffled off.

By 1973, the club had grown to forty members.

In 1983, Lion Dale Barney needed a kidney transplant, and Lion Dan Burns was in need of a hip implant. It was at this point that

the Lions held their first blood drive. It has now been nearly two decades since Dale's transplant was performed. It was his older sister, Janet, who now lives in Springfield, Missouri, who donated the much needed kidney for Dale.

Member Glen Tucker was one of the first chairs of the Canaan Blood Drives as well as a committed 22 gallon donor, giving whole blood and platelet donations. Glen passed away in December of 1992, and the December drive is always held in his memory.

This group also organizes the very popular adult and Children's Fishing Derby. They support the Indian River Nursery School and for many years have sponsored the Ice-Out Contest on Canaan Street Lake.

The Donkey Basketball game is another favorite activity that is fully enjoyed by all. The proceeds from this event are donated to the Mascoma Valley Regional High School to be used for Project Graduation. The Lions will also present scholarships to six local high school graduates in June.

They are responsible for the Soap Box Derby always held on Saturday of Old Home Days weekend, and the Canaan Cross-Country Classic. They also select and honor a Citizen of the Year from our community.

The Club provides eyeglasses and hearing aids for needy individuals and donate to families who are victims of fire and to those in need of supplies from their medical closet.

Another important fundraiser is the Motor Cross Races held at the Fish and Game/Lions racetrack throughout the summer months. The participants for 2002 far surpassed any other season.

On May 10th, the Canaan Lions will sponsor their tenth annual Golf Tournament which will take place again this year at the Country Club of New Hampshire at Sutton. This event attracts approximately 150 participants.

The 62 energetic members of this group are involved in many more functions and charitable causes too numerous to mention. They are noted for being one of the most active organizations in the Granite state.

The Canaan Lions Club has twice been the recipients of the Club of the Year Award. This was presented to them for their continuing contributions to our community and beyond. We're proud and privileged to have you among us.

Donna Zani - Dunkerton
Canaan Town Historian
January, 2003

Other Reports

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Executive Councilor
District One

REPORT TO THE PEOPLE OF DISTRICT ONE

by
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A new era is underway in the Executive Branch of your NH State Government, headed by Governor Craig Benson. I envision that his administration will be bringing new and innovative ideas of a modernized New Hampshire State Government, by utilizing tools of the new age of technology. This will bring enhanced services to the citizens and users of the NH State Government. Through the many checks and balances of power at the State Capitol, Governor Benson will not go too slow or too fast.

I encourage citizens to contact Governor Benson and offer to serve on a Board or Commission. Each biennium more that 300 citizens are appointed to these public Boards. The address is: State House,

CARROLL COUNTY:
Albany, Bartlett, Chatham, Conway, Eaton, Effingham, Freedom, Hart's Loc., Jackson, Madison, Moultonborough, Ossipee, Sandwich, Tamworth, Tuftonboro, Wakefield, Wolfeboro,

GRAFTON COUNTY:
Alexandria, Ashland, Bath, Benton, Bethlehem, Bridgewater, Bristol, Campton, Canaan, Dorchester, Easton, Ellsworth, Enfield, Franconia, Grafton, Groton, Hanover, Haverhill, Hebron, Holderness, Landaff, Lebanon, Lincoln, Lisbon, Livermore, Littleton, Lyman, Lyme, Monroe, Orange, Orford Piermont, Plymouth, Rumney, Sugar Hill, Thornton, Warren, Waterville Valley, Wentworth, Woodstock

BELKNAP COUNTY:
Alton, Belmont, Center Harbor, Gilford, Laconia, Meredith, New Hampton, Sanbornton, Tilton

COOS COUNTY:
Berlin, Carroll, Clarksville, Colebrook, Columbia, Dalton, Dixville, Dummer, Errol, Gorham, Jefferson, Lancaster, Milan, Millsfield, Northumberland, Pittsburg, Randolph, Shelburne, Stewartstown, Stark, Stratford, Whitefield

SULLIVAN COUNTY:
Charlestown, Claremont, Cornish, Croydon, Grantham, Newport Plainfield, Springfield, Sunapee

107 North Main St., Concord, NH 03301. The phone number is: 603 271-2121. A new administration is in Concord. Let's make sure our region is a part of the Benson era of New Hampshire! For a listing of the Boards and Commissions under the authority of the Governor and Council, please visit the Secretary of State Web site at: http:// Webster.state.nh.us/sos/ or call my office at 271-3632.

As Councilor, I will be conducting offical tours with Commissioners and Directors of State Agencies all summer and fall of 2003. If you have special event or project you would like a certain agency to visit or focus on, please let me know.

As Councilor, I will be holding official summer 2003 hearings on proposed changes to the NH Ten Year Highway Plan. All Town, Counties and Cities will be notified of this schedule of public hearings in your region. Please utilize your regional Planning Commission as a starting point for your transportation ideas and concerns. For detailed information on the Ten Year Highway Plan visit the Department of Transportation web site: http:// webster.state.nh.us/dot/

All citizens and public agencies should contact our NH Congressional Delegation and ask for more support from Washington, DC. New Hampshire ranks near the bottom of the list in monies returned back from the Federal budget.

For every dollar of taxation we send to Washington we get back ONLY 71 CENTS! Let's send many lists to Senators Gregg, and Sununu, and Congressmen Bass and Bradley and give them a chance to do better!

Please keep in touch with my office. I am at your service.

Sincerely Yours,

Raymond S. Burton

Executive Councilor

GRAFTON COUNTY

UNIVERSITY *of* NEW HAMSPSHIRE **'Cooperative Extension**

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January 14, 2003

To: From: Re:
Grafton County Town Offices
Northam Parr, Extension County Office Administrator
UNH Grafton County Cooperative Extension 2002 Annual Report

Over the last several years we have been pleased to see the UNH Cooperative Extension report in many of your annual town reports. This allows members of each community to be aware of our educational programs and opportunities.

Enclosed is a written copy of the report. Some of you have indicated that you would like to get a copy of this report electronically. We can send that to you in Word or WordPerfect, or you can send us a disk and we can copy the report and submit

it to you that way. Also, if there is specific information that would be vital to your constituents, we can adapt the report for coming years. Contact us by email at grafton@ceunh.unh.edu; we are able to send attachments quite easily if your email program can accept them.

I appreciate the opportunity to let each of Grafton County's towns learn about Cooperative Extension programs.

Sincerely,

Northam D. Parr, County Office Administrator
Extension Educator, Forest Resources

FINANCIAL / BUSINESS REPORTS

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Town Meeting

Deliberative Session

Date: February 1st, 2003
Location: Canaan Elementary School
Starting Time: 9:00 am

Town Meeting Voting Session

Date: March 11th, 2003
Location: Canaan Fire Station
Polls will Open at: 8:00 am
Polls will Close at: 7:00 pm

Town Warrant
State of New Hampshire

Grafton S.S. **Town of Canaan**

To the inhabitants of the Town of Canaan, New Hampshire, who are qualified to vote in Town affairs.

First Session:

The first session of the annual town meeting will be held on Saturday, February 1st, 2003 at 9:00 am at the Canaan Elementary School. The first session will consist of explanation, discussion, and debate of each of the following warrant articles, and will also afford voters who are present the opportunity to propose, debate, and adopt amendments to warrant articles, except those articles whose wording is prescribed by state law.

Second Session:

The second session of the annual town meeting, to elect town officers by official ballot, and to vote by official ballot on all warrant articles as they may have been amended at the first session, will be held on Tuesday, March 11th, 2003 at the Canaan Fire Station. The polls for voting by official ballot at the Canaan Fire Station will open at 8:00 am and close at 7:00 pm unless the town votes to keep the polls open to a later hour.

Article 1. To vote by non-partisan ballot for the following Town Officers:

One Selectman for a term of three years.

One Selectman for a term of one year.

One Treasurer for a term of one year.

One Trustee of the Trust Funds for a term of three years

Cemetery Trustee for a term of three years

Cemetery Trustee for a term of two years

Cemetery Trustee for a term of one year

Two Planning Board Members for a term of three years.

One Planning Board Member for a term of one year.

One Library Trustee for the term of three years.

One Human Resources Officer for the term of one year.

One Police Chief for a term of three years.

Three Budget Committee Members for a term of three years.

One Budget Committee member for the term of two year

One Budget Committee member for the term of one year

Article 2. Shall the Town raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles and other appropriation voted separately, the amounts set forth on the budget posted with the warrant or as amended by vote of the first session, for the purposes set forth therein, totaling $2,664,725? Should this article be defeated, the operating budget shall be $2,392,642, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Town or by law; or the Board of Selectmen may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 40:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only.

Explanation for Article 2:

The sum of money that is requested in this warrant article ($2,664,725) does not include any of the other money that is requested in the other warrant articles, but does include all the capital purchases that were approved by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Voted Position of the Selectmen & Budget Committee:

Board of Selectmen does not recommend by the vote of: 3 to 0

Budget Committee does recommend by the vote of: 5 to 2

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to adopt a by-law to require that refuse be disposed of under a pay-per-bag system pursuant to RSA 149-M:17, II (a).

Article 4. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the position of elected road agent. If this article passes, under RSA 669:17-b the Board of Selectmen will employ a duly qualified road agent beginning in March, 2005.

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the position of elected police chief. If this article

passes, under RSA 669:17-b the Board of Selectmen will employ a duly qualified police chief beginning in March, 2006.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a capital improvement program committee per RSA 674:5. The membership of said committee shall include at least one member of the planning board and may include but not be limited to other members of the planning board, the budget committee, or the town governing body, to prepare and amend a recommended program of municipal capital improvement projects projected over a period of at least 6 years.

Explanation: The capital improvements program may encompass major projects being currently undertaken or future projects to be undertaken with federal, state, county and other public funds. The sole purpose and effect of the capital improvements program shall be to aid the selectmen and the budget committee in their consideration of the annual budget.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to add "Bridge Repair and/or Replacement" to the list of acceptable uses for the funds which are contained or will be deposited into the Road Construction Capital Reserve Fund that was established at the town meeting of March, 1999. (Needs a 2/3rds Vote to Pass)

Article 8. (By Petition) To see if the Town will vote to make the voters of Canaan, agents of the following Capital Reserve Accounts:
Sewer Fund, Fire Truck Fund, Fire House Fund, Revaluation Fund, Bridge Fund, Highway Garage Fund, Library Renovation Fund, New Highway Equipment

Fund, Town Offices Renovation, Landfill Closure, and Road Const. Maintenance. This is to clarify to the Selectmen, Trustee's of Trust Funds, Department of Revenue Administration and the Canaan residents who are the agents to these funds.

Article 9. (By Petition) "Shall we rescind the provisions of RSA 40:13 (known as SB2). As adopted by the Town of Canaan on March 12, 1996. So that the official ballot will no longer be used for voting on all questions, but only for the election of officers and certain other question for which the official ballot is required by state law? *(3/5 Vote in the Affirmative is Required to Pass this Article)*

Article 10. (By Petition) To see if the town will vote to reaffirm the vote taken at the March 12, 1994 Town meeting on Article 4, Shall the Town accept the provisions of RSA 31:95-b providing that any town at an annual meeting may adopt an article authorizing indefinitely, until specific rescission of such authority, the Selectmen to apply for, accept, and expend unanticipated money from a State, Federal or other governmental unit or a private source which becomes available during the fiscal year. One legally posted and notified meeting shall be held to explain the expenditure, each time any expenditure is made by the Selectmen.

Article 11. (By Petition) To see if the Town of Canaan will vote to study the elimination of the position of Code Enforcement Officer (Town Inspector).

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BUDGET OF THE TOWN / CITY

OF: CANAAN

BUDGET FORM FOR TOWNS WHICH HAVE ADOPTED THE PROVISIONS OF RSA 32:14 THROUGH 32:24

Appropriations and Estimates of Revenue for the Ensuing Year January 1, 2003 to December 31, 2(
or Fiscal Year From _____ to _____.

IMPORTANT:

Please read RSA 32:5 applicable to all municipalities

1. Use this form to list the entire budget in the appropriate recommended and not recommended area. This means the operating budget and all special and individual warrant articles must be posted.

2. Hold at least one public hearing on this budget.

3. When completed, a copy of the budget must be posted with the warrant. Another copy must be placed on file with the town clerk, and a copy sent to the Departmen of Revenue Administration at the address below.

This is to certify that this budget was posted with the warrant on the (date) _____

BUDGET COMMITTEE

_____ _____
_____ _____
_____ _____
_____ _____
_____ _____
_____ _____

THIS BUDGET SHALL BE POSTED WITH THE TOWN WARRANT

FOR DRA USE ONLY

NH DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATIOI
MUNICIPAL FINANCE BUREAU
P.O. BOX 487, CONCORD, NH 03302-0487
(603) 271-3397

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MS-7 Budget Town of CANAAN FY 2003

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			Appropriations	Actuals	SELECTMEN'S APPROPRIATION		BUDGET COMMITTEE'S APPROPRIATION	
	PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION	WARR.	Prior Year As	Expenditures	ENSUING FISCAL YEAR		ENSUING FISCAL YEAR	
Acct. #	(RSA 32 : 3, V)	ART. #	Approved By DRA	Prior Year	Recommended	Not Recommended	Recommended	Not Recommended
	GENERAL GOVERNMENT		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
4130-4139	Executive	2	92,502	88,520.25	116,678		108,755	
4140-4149	Election, Reg.& Vital Statistics	2	42,315	45,055.53	43,835		43,835	
4150-4151	Financial Administration	2	13,750	13,080.00	13,750		16,650	
4152	Revaluation of Property	2	41,455	61,694.02	37,901		37,901	
4153	Legal Expense	2	10,000	26,517.76	15,000		12,000	
4155-4159	Personnel Administration	2	378,263	272,858.11	378,263		323,051	
4191-4193	Planning & Zoning	2	1	0.00	500		5,500	
4194	General Government Buildings	2	84,773	63,530.70	124,773		114,223	
4195	Cemeteries	2	25,448	25,269.48	28,590		32,505	
4196	Insurance	2	35,000	30,801.19	35,000		35,000	
4197	Advertising & Regional Assoc.	2	21,695	21,958.00	21,695		21,973	
4199	Other General Government	2	126,398	121,711.84	126,398		117,301	
	PUBLIC SAFETY		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
4210-4214	Police	2	282,863	288,916.47	327,171		320,729	
4215-4219	Ambulance	2	18,750	24,980.63	18,750		18,750	
4220-4229	Fire	2	48,767	32,414.67	50,767		54,267	
4240-4249	Building Inspection	2	35,420	34,303.31	37,350		37,350	
4290-4298	Emergency Management	2	1	0.00	1,000		1,000	
4299	Other (Including Communications	2	117,232	114,423.17	113,960		113,960	
	AIRPORT/AVIATION CENTER		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
4301-4309	Airport Operations	2	0	0.00	0		0	
	HIGHWAYS & STREETS		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
4311	Administration	2	200,485	214,145.41	206,954		212,034	
4312	Highways & Streets	2	160,789	226,707.20	223,900		219,500	
4313	Bridges	2	1	0.00	800		800	

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	PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION	WARR.	Prior Year As	Expenditures	ENSUING FISCAL YEAR		ENSUING FISCAL Y
Acct. #	(RSA 32 : 3, V)	ART. #	Approved By DRA	Prior Year	Recommended	Not Recommended	Recommended
	HIGHWAYS & STEETS cont.		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
4316	Street Lighting	2	13,200	5,445.30	13,200		13,200
4319	Other	2	0	0.00	0		0
	SANITATION		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
4321	Administration	2	21,538	23,651.69	21,538		21,538
4323	Solid Waste Collection	2	3,750	2,037.08	3,750		3,750
4324	Solid Waste Disposal	2	81,600	90,956.50	81,600		81,600
4325	Solid Waste Clean-up	2	0	0.00	0		0
4326-4329	Sewage Coll. & Disposal & Other	2	61,563	54,247.34	61,563		61,565
	WATER DISTRIBUTION & TREATMENT		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
4331	Administration	2	18,601	18,322.00	18,601		18,602
4332	Water Services	2	0	0.00	0		0
4335-4339	Water Treatment, Conserv. & Other	2	22,866	19,379.33	22,866		22,867
	ELECTRIC		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
4351-4352	Admin. & Generation	2	0	0.00	0		0
4353	Purchase Cost	2	0	0.00	0		0
4354	Electrical Equipment Maintenance	2	0	0.00	0		0
4359	Other Electric Costs	2	0	0.00	0		0
	HEALTH / WELFARE		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
4411	Administration	2	1	0.00	1		1
4414	Pest Control	2	500	420.00	500		500
4415-4419	Health Agencies & Hosp. & Other	2	13,836	14,737.02	13,836		14,251
4441-4442	Administration & Direct Assist.	2	4,500	4,500.00	4,500		4,500
4444	Intergovernmental Welfare Payments	2	0	0.00	0		0
4445-4449	Vendor Payments & Other	2	25,000	18,043.26	25,000		25,000

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Acct. #	(RSA 32 : 3, V)	ART. #	Approved By DRA	Prior Year	Recommended	Not Recommended	Recommended	Not Recommended
	CULTURE & RECREATION		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
4520-4529	Parks & Recreation	2	33,117	26,323.70	27,400		27,400	
4550-4559	Library	2	80,167	80,167.00	83,000		96,846	
4583	Patriotic Purposes	2	100	100.00	100		100	
4589	Other Culture & Recreation	2	1,000	1,000.00	1,000		1,000	
	CONSERVATION		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
4611-4612	Admin. & Purch. Of Nat. Resources	2	0	152.00	175		700	
4619	Other Conservation	2	1	0.00	0		0	
4631-4632	REDEVELOPMENT & HOUSING	2	0	0.00	0		0	
4651-4659	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	2	0	0.00	0		0	
	DEBT SERVICE		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
4711	Princ.- Long Term Bonds & Notes	2	45,944	45,944.00	46,768		46,768	
4721	Interest - Long Term Bonds & Notes	2	47,220	41,055.26	44,634		44,634	
4723	Int. on Tax Anticipation Notes	2	18,000	472.73	18,000		2,000	
4790-4799	Other Debt Service	2	1	0.00	1		1	
	CAPITAL OUTLAY		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
4901	Land	2	1	0.00	1		1	
4902	Machinery, Vehicles & Equipment	2	119,384	141,230.03	200,816		200,816	
4903	Building	2	1	6,200.00	1		1	
4909	Inprovements Other Than Buldgs.	2	1	0.00	1		125,000	
	OPERATING TRANSFERS OUT		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
4912	To Special Revenue Fund	2	0	0.00	0		0	
4913	To Capital Projects Fund	2	0	0.00	0		0	
4914	To Enterprise Fund	2	0	0.00	0		0	
	Sewer -	2	0	0.00	0		0	
	Water -	2	0	0.00	0		0	

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	PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION	WARR.	Prior Year As	Expenditures	ENSUING FISCAL YEAR		ENSUING FISCAL YEAR	
Acct. #	(RSA 32 : 3, V)	ART. #	Approved By DRA	Prior Year	Recommended	Not Recommended	Recommended	Not Recommended
	OPERATING TRANSFERS OUT cont		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
	Electric -	2	0	0.00	0		0	
	Airport -	2	0	0.00	0		0	
4915	To Capital Reserve Fund	2	2,500	2,500.00	0		0	
4916	To Exp. Tr. Fund - except #4917	2	5,000	5,000.00	0		5,000	
4917	To Health Maint. Trust Funds	2	0	0.00	0		0	
4918	To Nonexpendable Trust Funds	2	0	0.00	0		0	
4919	To Agency Funds	2	0	0.00	0		0	
	SUBTOTAL 1	2	2,355,300	2,308,771.98	2,611,887		2,664,725	

If you have a line item of appropriations from more than one warrant article, please use the space below to identify the make-up of the line total for the ensuing year.

Acct. #	Warr. Art. #	Amount	Acct. #	Warr. Art. #	Amount

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** SPECIAL WARRANT ARTICLES **

Special Warrant Artcles are defined in RSA 32 : 3, VI, as appropriations 1) in petitioned warrant articles; 2) appropriations raised by bonds or no 3) appropriations to a separate fund created pursuant to law, such as capital reserve funds or trust funds; or 4) an appropriation designated on the warrant as a special article or as a nonlapsing or nontransferable article;

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Acct. #	PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION (RSA 32 : 3, V)	WARR. ART. #	Appropriations Prior Year As Approved By DRA	Actuals Expenditures Prior Year	SELECTMEN'S APPROPRIATION ENSUING FISCAL YEAR Recommended	Not Recommended	BUDGET COMMITTEE'S APPROPRIATIO ENSUING FISCAL YEAR Recommended	Not Recommended
	Transportation Enhancement Grant	#3	334,375		0		0	
	Cozy Corner Purchase	#6	50,000		0		0	
	Fire Truck Lease Purchase	#7	38,000		0		0	
	Water/Sewer Engineering	#12	30,000		0		0	

** INDIVIDUAL WARRANT ARTICLES **

"Individual" Warrant Articles are not necessarily the same as "Special Warrant Articles". An example of an individual warrant article might be n cost items for labor agreements or items of a one time nature you wish to address individually.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Acct. #	PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION (RSA 32 : 3, V)	WARR. ART. #	Appropriations Prior Year As Approved By DRA	Actuals Expenditures Prior Year	SELECTMEN'S APPROPRIATION ENSUING FISCAL YEAR Recommended	Not Recommended	BUDGET COMMITTEE'S APPROPRIATIO ENSUING FISCAL YEAR Recommended	Not Recommended
	SUBTOTAL 3, RECOMMENDED		xxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxx	0	xxxxxxxxxxx	0	xxxxxxxxxxx

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1	2	3	4	5	6
Acct. #	SOURCE OF REVENUE	WARR. ART. #	Estimated Revenues Prior Year	Actual Revenues Prior Year	ESTIMATED REVENUES ENSUING YEAR
	TAXES		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
3120	Land Use Change Taxes		9,000	4,588.50	9,000
3180	Resident Taxes		0	0.00	0
3185	Timber Taxes		30,000	20,538.96	20,000
3186	Payment In Lieu of Taxes		0	0.00	0
3189	Other Taxes		5,000	0.00	15,000
3190	Interest & Penalties on Delinquent Taxes		180,000	185,813.12	150,000
	Inventory Penalties		0	0.00	0
	Excavation Tax ($.02 cents per cu yard)		0	697.00	250
	LICENSES, PERMITS & FEES		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
3210	Business Licenses & Permits		1,000	12,643.00	5,000
3220	Motor Vehicle Permit Fees		300,000	419,651.30	300,000
3230	Building Permits		1,000	11,438.63	10,000
3290	Other Licenses, Permits & Fees		5,000	7,451.23	5,000
3311-3319	FROM FEDERAL GOVERNMENT		0	0.00	0

	FROM STATE		**XXXXXXXXX**	**XXXXXXXXX**	**XXXXXXXXX**
3351	Shared revenues		15,013	40,216.36	15,000
3352	Meals & Rooms Tax Distribution		35,000	95,715.88	35,000
3353	Highway Block Grant		116,000	123,291.42	116,000
3354	Water Pollution Grant		42,000	18,541.00	5,000
3355	Housing & Community Development		0	0.00	0
3356	State & Federal Forest Land Reimburseme		375	413.00	375
3357	Flood Control Reimbursement		0	0.00	0
3359	Other (Including Railroad Tax)		8,000	2,965.00	4,000
3379	FROM OTHER GOVERNMENTS		0	22,798.00	2,000
	CHARGES FOR SERVICES		**XXXXXXXXX**	**XXXXXXXXX**	**XXXXXXXXX**
3401-3406	Income from Departments		40,000	58,316.18	50,000
3409	Other Charges		25,000	0.00	0
	MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES		**XXXXXXXXX**	**XXXXXXXXX**	**XXXXXXXXX**
3501	Sale of Municipal Property		15,000	1,717.62	10,000
3502	Interest on Investments		25,000	12,986.40	5,000
3503-3509	Other		267,500	55,754.89	180,000
	INTERFUND OPERATING TRANSFERS IN		**XXXXXXXXX**	**XXXXXXXXX**	**XXXXXXXXX**
3912	From Special Revenue Funds		0	0.00	0
3913	From Capital Project Funds		0	0.00	0

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1	2	3	4	5	6
Acct. #	SOURCE OF REVENUE	WARR. ART. #	Estimated Revenues Prior Year	Actual Revenues Prior Year	ESTIMATED REVENUES ENSUING YEAR
	INTERFUND OPERATING TRANSFERS IN	co	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
3914	From Enterprise Funds		0	0.00	0
	Sewer - (Offset)		76,563	61,563.00	61,563
	Water - (Offset)		56,467	41,467.00	41,467
	Electric - (Offset)		0	0.00	0
	Airport - (Offset)		0	0.00	0
3915	From Capital Reserve Funds		0	0.00	0
3916	From Trust & Agency Funds		0	120,606.90	18,000
	OTHER FINANCING SOURCES		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
3934	Proc. From Long Term Bonds & Notes		0	0.00	0
Amounts VOTED From F/B ("Surplus")			116,875	116,875.00	0
Fund Balance ("Surplus") to reduce the Taxes			0		0
TOTAL ESTIMATED RESERVE & CREDITS			1,369,793	1,436,049.39	1,057,655

** BUDGET SUMMARY **

	PRIOR YEAR ADOPTED BUDGET	SELECTMEN'S RECOMMENDED BUDGET	BUDGET COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDED BUDGET
SUBTOTAL 1 Appropriations Recommended (From P.5)	2,355,300	2,611,887	2,664,725
SUBTOTAL 2 Special Warrant Articles Recommended (From P.	452,375	0	0
SUBTOTAL 3 "Individual" Warrant Articles Recommended (Fro	0	0	0
Total Appropriations Recommended	2,807,675	2,611,887	2,664,725
Less: Amount of Estimated Revenue & Credits (From Above, C	1,369,793	1,057,655	1,057,655
Estimated Amount of Taxes to be Raised	1,437,882	1,593,983	1,607,070

Maximum Allowable Increase to Budget Committee's Recommended Budget per RSA 32:18 _____
(See Supplemental Schedule With 10% Calculation

Additional Information About the MS-7

Please Note: This MS-7 was ammended solely for the convenience of the public, the MS-7 in its original format will be kept on file at the Town Offices. The ammendments that were made was to reflect the transactions that took place by the vote of the people at the deliberative session that was held on February 1st, 2003 at the Canaan Elementary School.

Account Line 4155 Personal Administration was lowered by $18,800 for the purpose of taking away the funding for the Selectmen's health insurance.

Account Line 4909 Capital Outlay (Improvements Other than Buildings) was increase by $124,999 to accommodate the cost of engineering and construction of the new Switch Road entrance onto US Route 4.

As a result of the adjustments, the total budget was increased from $2,556,526 to the sum of $2,664,725. Thus the tax burden was increased from the total of $1,500,871 to the sum of $1,607,070

BUDGET COMMITTEE SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE
(For Calculating 10% Maximum Increase)
(RSA 32:18, 19, & 32:21)

VERSION #1: Use if you have no Collective Bargaining Cost Items or RSA 32:21 Water Costs

LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT: TOWN OF CANAAN FISCAL YEAR END DEC 31, 2003

	RECOMMENDED AMOUNT
1. Total RECOMMENDED by Budget Comm. (See Posted Budget MS7, 27 or 37	$2,558,526
LESS EXCLUSIONS:	
2. Principal: Long-Term Bonds & Notes	$46,768
3. Interest: Long-Term Bonds & Notes	$44,634
4. Capital Outlays Funded From Long-Term Bonds & Notes per RSA 33:8 & 33:7-b	$0

5. Mandatory Assessments	$0
6. Total Exclusions (Sum of rows 2 - 5)	$91,402
7. Amount recommended less recommended exclusion amounts (line 1 less line 6)	$2,467,124
8. Line 7 times 10%	$246,712
9. Maximum Allowable Appropriations (lines 1 + 8)	$2,805,238

Line 8 is the maximum allowable increase to budget committee's recommended budget. Please enter this amount on the bottom of the posted budget form, MS7, 27. Or 37

Please attach a copy of this completed supplemental schedule to the back of the budget form.

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EXPENSES	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
5130-00 EXECUTIVE								
5130-01 Selectmen's Salary	9,000.00	9,000	8,250.00		750.00	12,000	9,000	9,000
5130-02 Town Administrator	33,807.12	32,199	33,807.12		(0.00)	32,199	32,199	35,000
5130-03 Moderator's Salary	400.00	400	400.00		0.00	200	400	400
5130-04 Information Coordinator	26,731.11	26,603	26,731.11		(0.00)	31,500	31,500	27,401
5130-05 Operational Expenses	3,544.77	9,300	3,366.02		178.75	9,300	9,300	2,675
5130-06 Bookkeeper	15,966.00	15,000	15,966.00		0.00	34,279	34,279	34,279
Totals	89,449.00	92,502	88,520.25	0.00	928.75	119,478	116,678	108,755

EXPENSES	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
5140-00 ELECTION REGISTRATION								
5140-01 TC / TC Salary	34,317.00	33,675	34,316.09	0.00	0.91	34,685	34,685	34,685
5140-02 Voter Registration	0.00	100	0.00	0.00	0.00	100	100	100
5140-03 Election Administr	4,250.00	2,250	4,239.48	0.00	10.52	2,250	2,250	2,250
5140-04 Deputy TC / TC Sal	2,995.00	4,290	2,994.47	0.00	0.53	5,200	4,800	4,800
5140-05 Town Clerk Expense	3,506.00	2,000	3,505.49	0.00	0.51	2,000	2,000	2,000
Totals	45,068.00	42,315	45,055.53	0.00	12.47	44,235	43,835	43,835

EXPENSES	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
5150-00 FINANCIAL ADMINIST								
5150-01 Tax Collecting Expenses	1,160.00	1,500	190.00	0.00	970.00	1,500	1,500	3,300
5150-02 Treasurer Salary	4,000.00	4,000	4,000.00	0.00	0.00	4,000	4,000	4,000
5150-03 Training / Seminar	390.00	50	390.00	0.00	0.00	50	50	50

5150-04 Trust Fund Treasurer	500.00	500	500.00	0.00	0.00	500	500	500
5150-05 Assistant Treasurer	500.00	500	500.00	0.00	0.00	500	500	500
5150-06 Auditing Expenses	7,500.00	7,200	7,500.00	0.00	0.00	7,200	7,200	7,200
Totals	14,050.00	13,750	13,080.00	0.00	970.00	13,750	13,750	15,550

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
Budget Committee						0	0	1,100
Total						0	0	1,100

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5152-00 REVALUATION OF PROPERTY								
5152-01 External Revaluation	54,600.00	34,100	54,574.02	0.00	25.98	36,000	36,000	36,000
5152-02 Tax Maps	7,100.00	7,100	1,900.00	(5,200.00)	0.00	1,900	1,900	1,900
5152-03 Internal Revaluation	255.00	255	20.00	0.00	235.00	1	1	1
Totals	61,955.00	41,455	56,494.02	(5,200.00)	260.98	37,901	37,901	37,901

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5153-00 LEGAL EXPENSES								
5153-01 Legal Services	26,525.00	10,000	26,517.76	0.00	7.24	20,000	15,000	12,000
Totals	26,525.00	10,000	26,517.76	0.00	7.24	20,000	15,000	12,000

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5155-00 PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATION								
5155-01 Social Security	40,920.00	48,060	40,168.50	0.00	751.50	48,060	48,060	46,344
5155-02 Unemployment Comp	2,643.00	19,168	1,721.79	0.00	921.21	19,168	19,168	10,000
5155-03 Worker's Compensation	20,620.00	41,120	16,071.79	0.00	4,548.21	41,120	41,120	20,000
5155-04 NH State Retirement	11,602.00	22,370	10,178.53	0.00	1,423.47	22,370	22,370	22,370
5155-05 Retirement (PEBSCO	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
5155-06 Health - Dental - Vision	209,411.00	244,445	202,562.59	0.00	6,848.41	244,445	244,445	221,237
5155-07 Safety & Health	2,198.00	3,100	2,154.91	0.00	43.09	3,100	3,100	3,100
Totals	287,394.00	378,263	272,858.11	0.00	14,535.89	378,263	378,263	323,051

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5191-00 PLANNING & ZONING								
5191-01 Planning Board	1.00	1	0.00	0.00	1.00	1,000	500	500
5191-02 Master Plan						5,000	0	5,000
Totals	1.00	1	0.00	0.00	1.00	6,000	500	5,500

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5192-00 CEMETERIES								
5192-01 Agent & Laborers	21,157.00	20,947	21,156.35	0.00	0.65	23,590	23,590	23,590
5192-02 Equipment Expenses	3,366.00	2,501	3,365.10	0.00	0.90	3,539	3,000	3,539
5192-03 Cemetery Supplies	925.00	2,000	748.03	0.00	176.97	2,000	2,000	2,000
						2,500	0	2,500
						5,876	0	876

Totals	25,448.00	25,448	25,269.48	0.00	178.52	37,505	28,590	32,505

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5194-00 GENERAL GOVERNMENT								
5194-01 Repair & Maintenance	21,182.00	10,000	21,181.57	0.00	0.43	118,000	50,000	50,000
5194-02 Heating Oil & Gas	27,492.00	30,550	12,376.18	0.00	15,115.82	30,550	30,550	20,000
5194-03 Electricity	19,588.00	30,538	19,582.66	0.00	5.34	30,538	30,538	30,538
5194-04 Town Water & Hydrants	9,384.00	9,384	8,314.80	0.00	1,069.20	12,000	9,384	9,384
5194-05 Gov Building Supplies	4,069.00	4,301	2,075.49	0.00	1,993.51	4,301	4,301	4,301
Totals	81,715.00	84,773	63,530.70	0.00	18,184.30	195,389	124,773	114,223

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5196-00 INSURANCES (LIABILITY)								
5196-01 NHMA Property-Liability	30,989.00	35,000	30,801.19	0.00	187.81	35,000	35,000	35,000
Totals	30,989.00	35,000	30,801.19	0.00	187.81	35,000	35,000	35,000

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5197-00 ADVERTISING & REGIONAL								
5197-01 UVLSRPC	3,186.00	2,923	3,186.00	0.00	0.00	2,923	2,923	2,923
5197-02 Senior Center	4,450.00	4,450	4,450.00	0.00	0.00	4,450	4,450	4,450
5197-03 Advanced Transit	5,200.00	5,200	5,200.00	0.00	0.00	5,200	5,200	5,200
5197-04 Headrest	2,500.00	2,500	2,500.00	0.00	0.00	2,500	2,500	2,000
5197-05 Listen	1,522.00	1,522	1,522.00	0.00	0.00	1,522	1,522	2,000
5197-06 WISE	2,100.00	2,100	2,100.00	0.00	0.00	2,100	2,100	2,100
5197-07 West Central Services	3,000.00	3,000	3,000.00	0.00	0.00	3,000	3,000	3,000

5197-08 Acorn						0	0	300
Totals	21,958.00	21,695	21,958.00	0.00	0.00	21,695	21,695	21,973
	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5199-00 OTHER GENERAL GOVERNMENT								
5199-01 Recording Fees	1,344.00	1,200	1,343.46	0.00	0.54	1,200	1,200	1,200
5199-02 Mortgages Search	2,800.00	2,800	1,300.00	0.00	1,500.00	2,800	2,800	2,800
5199-03 Marriage / Copy / Vitals	1,500.00	1,500	1,392.00	0.00	108.00	1,500	1,500	1,500
5199-04 Dog License Expenses	1,800.00	1,800	816.00	0.00	984.00	1,800	1,800	1,800
5199-05 NHMA	1,856.00	2,000	1,821.11	0.00	34.89	2,000	2,000	2,000
5199-06 Advertising / Notices	4,121.00	3,371	4,120.71	0.00	0.29	3,371	3,371	3,371
5199-07 Gasoline & Diesel	24,926.00	35,197	24,303.45	0.00	622.55	35,197	35,197	25,000
5199-08 Printing & Publishing	8,577.00	10,868	3,187.63	(5,000.00)	389.37	12,000	10,868	10,868
5199-09 Postage	8,622.00	6,542	8,620.52	0.00	1.48	8,000	6,542	6,542
5199-10 Office Supplies / Equip	37,665.00	19,915	37,664.66	0.00	0.34	22,000	19,915	19,915
5199-11 Telephone	22,333.00	20,305	22,332.13	0.00	0.87	20,305	20,305	20,305
5199-12 Contingency Account	9,000.00	20,000	8,910.17	0.00	89.83	20,000	20,000	20,000
5199-13 Town Historian	900.00	900	900.00	0.00	0.00	900	900	2,000
Totals	125,444.00	126,398	116,711.84	(5,000.00)	3,732.16	131,073	126,398	117,301
	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5210-00 POLICE DEPARTMENT								
5210-01 Police Chief Salary	37,502.00	35,131	37,501.11	0.00	0.89	43,846	37,000	43,846
5210-02 Police Sergeant Salary	18,806.00	31,678	18,805.32	0.00	0.68	67,413	33,000	67,413
5210-03 Police Officer Salary	84,253.00	82,430	84,252.01	0.00	0.99	110,551	110,551	73,405
5210-04 Police Training Expenses	4,807.00	7,905	4,806.15	0.00	0.85	10,000	7,905	7,905

5210-05 Police Secretary Salary	16,437.00	16,437	16,387.93	0.00	49.07	32,882	32,882	26,348
5210-06 Outside Duty Expenses	18,696.00	20,193	18,695.03	0.00	0.97	20,193	20,193	20,193
5210-07 Police Overtime Pay	7,490.00	4,007	7,489.27	0.00	0.73	6,007	4,007	6,007
5210-08 Police Equip & Supplies	21,178.00	5,350	21,177.25	0.00	0.75	11,701	7,000	6,701
5210-09 Police Uniforms	4,024.00	7,000	4,023.51	0.00	0.49	10,763	10,763	7,000
5210-10 Police Radar & Radio	4,433.00	400	1,374.14	(3,058.00)	0.86	1,000	1,000	1,000
5210-11 Police Organization	210.00	500	200.00	0.00	10.00	500	500	500
5210-12 Police Dispatch Services	29,387.00	29,387	29,387.00	0.00	0.00	30,210	30,210	30,210
5210-13 Police P/T Officer	20,760.00	21,445	20,759.75	0.00	0.25	18,160	18,160	18,160
5210-14 Prosecutor Expense	21,000.00	21,000	14,356.00	(6,644.00)	0.00	14,000	14,000	12,041
Totals	288,983.00	282,863	279,214.47	(9,702.00)	66.53	377,226	327,171	320,729

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5215-00 AMBULANCE SERVICES								
5215-01 Service Contract (FAST)	24,981.00	18,750	24,980.63	0.00	0.37	18,750	18,750	18,750
Totals	24,981.00	18,750	24,980.63	0.00	0.37	18,750	18,750	18,750

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5220-00 FIRE DEPARTMENT								
5220-01 Fire Chief Salary	4,000.00	4,000	4,000.00	0.00	0.00	4,000	4,000	4,000
5220-02 Assistant Fire Chief	1,000.00	1,000	750.00	0.00	250.00	1,000	1,000	1,000
5220-03 Fire Fighters' Salary	14,116.00	23,267	12,122.00	0.00	1,994.00	23,267	23,267	18,267
5220-04 Fire Training Expenses	3,000.00	3,000	2,058.00	0.00	942.00	3,000	3,000	3,000
5220-05 Fire Communication	2,175.00	2,000	2,174.33	0.00	0.67	5,000	5,000	5,000
5220-06 Fire Equipment Test	1,943.00	1,500	1,942.58	0.00	0.42	1,500	1,500	1,500
5220-07 Fire Supplies	2,500.00	2,500	1,679.69	0.00	820.31	2,500	2,500	2,500
5220-08 Fire Association Funds	730.00	500	730.00	0.00	0.00	1,000	500	3,000

5220-09 Dry Hydrant Expenses	152.00	1,000	0.00	0.00	152.00	1,000	0	1,000
5220-10 Fire Equipment	7,629.00	10,000	5,158.07	(1,800.00)	670.93	15,000	10,000	15,000
Totals	37,245.00	48,767	30,614.67	(1,800.00)	4,830.33	57,267	50,767	54,267

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5240-00 BUILDING INSPECTION								
5240-01 Salary & Expenses	31,374.00	31,970	31,373.37	0.00	0.63	33,500	33,500	33,500
Training	200.00	200	175.00	0.00	25.00	200	200	200
Mileage	3,000.00	3,000	2,014.44	0.00	985.56	3,000	3,000	3,000
Tool	105.00	250	0.00	0.00	105.00	250	250	250
Books & Manuals	721.00	0	720.50	0.00	0.50	200	200	200
Organizations	20.00	0	20.00	0.00	0.00	200	200	200
Totals	35,420.00	35,420	34,303.31	0.00	1,116.69	37,350	37,350	37,350

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5290-00 EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT								
5290-01 Emergency Management	1.00	1	0.00	0.00	1.00	5,000	1,000	1,000
Totals	1.00	1	0.00	0.00	1.00	5,000	1,000	1,000

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5299-00 MECHANIC OPERATION								
5299-01 Mechanic Salary	32,074.00	35,402	32,073.20	0.00	0.80	32,240	32,240	32,240
5299-02 Mechanic Overtime	2,733.00	3,830	2,182.43	0.00	550.57	3,720	3,720	3,720
5299-03 Mechanic's Supplies	16,166.00	14,000	16,165.12	0.00	0.88	14,000	14,000	14,000
5299-04 Contracted Repairs	14,275.00	12,000	14,274.72	0.00	0.28	12,000	12,000	12,000

5299-05 Repair Parts	33,948.00	30,000	33,947.23	0.00	0.77	40,000	30,000	30,000
5299-06 Petroleum Products	7,696.00	12,000	7,695.25	0.00	0.75	12,000	12,000	12,000
5299-07 Tool Allowance	10,000.00	10,000	8,085.22	0.00	1,914.78	10,000	10,000	10,000
Totals	116,892.00	117,232	114,423.17	0.00	2,468.83	123,960	113,960	113,960

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5311-00 HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT								
5311-01 Highway Crew Salary	160,277.00	156,266	160,276.46	0.00	0.54	164,034	160,954	164,034
5311-02 Road Agent Salary	30,583.00	30,243	30,582.95	0.00	0.05	34,000	32,000	34,000
5311-03 Highway Overtime Pay	23,287.00	13,976	23,286.00	0.00	1.00	20,000	14,000	14,000
Totals	214,147.00	200,485	214,145.41	0.00	1.59	218,034	206,954	212,034

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5312-00 HIGHWAYS & STREET								
5312-01 Paving & Reconstruction	57,467.00	50,000	57,466.40	0.00	0.60	100,000	50,000	50,000
5312-02 Sidewalks	500.00	500	0.00	0.00	500.00	500	500	500
5312-03 Snow & Ice Control	37,268.00	26,500	37,267.26	0.00	0.74	30,000	26,500	26,500
5312-04 Sand & Gravel	72,909.00	37,875	72,908.00	0.00	1.00	94,500	91,500	91,500
5312-05 Highway Supplies	11,726.00	10,000	11,725.06	0.00	0.94	10,000	10,000	10,000
5312-06 Culverts	4,000.00	4,000	3,930.11	0.00	69.89	5,000	4,000	4,000
5312-07 Contracted Service	8,274.00	10,000	8,174.00	0.00	100.00	20,000	10,000	10,000
5312-08 Highway Uniforms	16,097.00	9,914	16,096.75	0.00	0.25	14,400	14,400	10,000
5312-09 Mowing & Brush	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	20,000	5,000	5,000
5312-10 Dust Control / Chloride	19,140.00	12,000	19,139.62	0.00	0.38	20,000	12,000	12,000
Totals	227,381.00	160,789	226,707.20	0.00	673.80	314,400	223,900	219,500

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5313-00 BRIDGES								
5313-01 Repair & Replacement	1.00	1	0.00	0.00	1.00	1,000	800	800
Totals	1.00	1	0.00	0.00	1.00	1,000	800	800

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5316-00 STREET LIGHTS								
5316-01 Utility Charges	5,714.00	13,200	5,445.30	0.00	268.70	13,200	13,200	13,200
Totals	5,714.00	13,200	5,445.30	0.00	268.70	13,200	13,200	13,200

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5321-00 SANITATION								
5321-01 Sanitation Dept Salary	23,652.00	21,538	23,651.69	0.00	0.31	22,184	21,538	21,538
Totals	23,652.00	21,538	23,651.69	0.00	0.31	22,184	21,538	21,538

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5323-00 SOLID WASTE COLLECTION								
5323-01 Recycling Expenses	1,117.00	3,000	1,116.12	0.00	0.88	3,000	3,000	3,000
5323-02 SW Supplies	921.00	750	920.96	0.00	0.04	750	750	750
Totals	2,038.00	3,750	2,037.08	0.00	0.92	3,750	3,750	3,750

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5324-00 SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL								
5324-01 Trucking & Landfill	90,957.00	81,600	90,956.50	0.00	0.50	81,600	81,600	81,600
Totals	90,957.00	81,600	90,956.50	0.00	0.50	81,600	81,600	81,600

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5411-00 HEALTH DEPARTMENT								
5411-01 Health Administration	1.00	1	0.00	0.00	1.00	1	1	1
Totals	1.00	1	0.00	0.00	1.00	1	1	1

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5414-00 PEST CONTROL								
5414-01 Animal Control	500.00	500	420.00	0.00	80.00	500	500	500
Totals	500.00	500	420.00	0.00	80.00	500	500	500

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5415-00 HEALTH AGENCY/HOSPITAL								
5415-01 Mascoma Visiting Nurses	13,835.00	13,835	13,835.00	0.00	0.00	13,835	13,835	14,250
5415-02 Health - Other	903.00	1	902.02	0.00	0.98	1	1	1
Totals	14,738.00	13,836	14,737.02	0.00	0.98	13,836	13,836	14,251

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5441-00 WELFARE ADMINISTRATION								
5441-01 Administration Salary	4,500.00	4,500	4,500.00	0.00	0.00	4,500	4,500	4,500
Totals	4,500.00	4,500	4,500.00	0.00	0.00	4,500	4,500	4,500

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5445-00 WELFARE ADMIN EXPENSES								
5445-01 Vendor Payment	18,044.00	25,000	18,043.26	0.00	0.74	25,000	25,000	25,000
Totals	18,044.00	25,000	18,043.26	0.00	0.74	25,000	25,000	25,000

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5520-00 PARKS & RECREATION								
5520-01 Parks & Rec Salary	4,000.00	25,317	3,999.96	0.00	0.04	15,900	15,900	15,900
5520-02 Maint of Rec Facilities	22,324.00	7,800	22,323.74	0.00	0.26	35,220	10,000	10,000
5520-03 Williams Field Improv	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	7,000	0	0
						2,500	1,500	1,500
Totals	26,324.00	33,117	26,323.70	0.00	0.30	60,620	27,400	27,400

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5551-00 LIBRARY								
5551-01 Library Annual Fund	80,167.00	80,167	80,167.00	0.00	0.00	97,826	83,000	96,846
Totals	80,167.00	80,167	80,167.00	0.00	0.00	97,826	83,000	96,846

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5583-00 PATRIOTIC								
5583-01 Patriotic / Memorial	100.00	100	100.00	0.00	0.00	100	100	100
Totals	100.00	100	100.00	0.00	0.00	100	100	100

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5589-00 OTHER CULTURES & RECREATION								
5589-01 Old Home Days	1,000.00	1,000	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	1,000	1,000	1,000
Totals	1,000.00	1,000	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	1,000	1,000	1,000

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5611-00 CONSERVATION								
5611-01 Conservation Property	1.00	1	0.00	0.00	1.00	100	100	100
5611-02 Conservation Education	152.00	0	152.00	0.00	0.00	150	50	150
5611-03 Conservation Training	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	100	15	100
5611-04 Natural Resources	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	150	10	150
						200	0	200
Totals	153.00	1	152.00	0.00	1.00	700	175	700

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5711-00 PRINCIPAL-LONG TERM								
5711-01 FHA Water Loan	11,522.00	11,522	11,522.00	0.00	0.00	12,098	12,098	12,098
5711-02 Sewer Bonds	30,000.00	30,000	30,000.00	0.00	0.00	30,000	30,000	30,000

5711-03 Bridge Bond	4,422.00	4,422	4,422.00	0.00	0.00	4,670	4,670	4,670
Totals	45,944.00	45,944	45,944.00	0.00	0.00	46,768	46,768	46,768

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5721-00 INTEREST-LONG TERM								
5721-01 Int-FHA Water Loan	16,214.00	16,214	16,214.00	0.00	0.00	15,638	15,638	15,638
5721-02 Int-Sewer Bonds	15,312.00	21,476	15,311.26	0.00	0.74	19,714	19,714	19,714
5721-03 Int-Bridge Bond	9,530.00	9,530	9,530.00	0.00	0.00	9,282	9,282	9,282
Totals	41,056.00	47,220	41,055.26	0.00	0.74	44,634	44,634	44,634

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5723-00 INTEREST-TAX ANTICIPATED NOTES								
5723-01 Interest Payments	1,715.00	18,000	472.73	0.00	1,242.27	20,000	18,000	2,000
Totals	1,715.00	18,000	472.73	0.00	1,242.27	20,000	18,000	2,000

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5790-00 OTHER DEBT SERVICE								
5790-01 Water / Sewer Lien	1.00	1	0.00	0.00	1.00	1	1	1
5790-02 Tax Refunds	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
5790-03 Motor Vehicle Refunds	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
5790-04 Inventory Refunds	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
5790-05 Other General Refunds	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
5790-06 Timber Tax Refunds	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
Totals	1.00	1	0.00	0.00	1.00	1	1	1

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5901-00 CAPITAL OUTLAY								
5901-01 LAND	1.00	1	49,329.34	0.00	1.00	1	1	1
5901-01 Is Not Included In This Section's Sub-Total								
5902-00 MACHINERY VEHICLES								
Hwy P/U Truck			14,718.00	0.00				
Cruiser	9,800.00	9,700	0.00	(9,798.99)	1.01	9,700	9,700	9,700
Set-up Cruiser	4,000.00	4,000	0.00	(4,000.00)	0.00	4,000	4,000	4,000
Dump Trucks	85,684.00	85,684	85,684.00	0.00	0.00	85,684	85,684	85,684
Loader	20,000.00	20,000	19,597.82	0.00	402.18	20,000	20,000	20,000
Payment for Last Year's Cruiser	7,432.00	0	7,431.22	0.00	0.78	15,000	0	0
						56,000	28,000	28,000
						38,000	38,000	38,000
						8,000	8,000	8,000
						7,432	7,432	7,432
5903-00 BUILDINGS								
5903-01 Building Items	6,201.00	1	6,200.00	0.00	1.00	1	1	125,000
5909-00 IMPROVE OTHER THAN BUILDINGS								
5909-01 Roads	1.00	1	0.00	0.00	1.00	1	1	1
Totals	133,119.00	119,387	118,913.04	(13,798.99)	406.97	243,819	200,819	325,818

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5912-00 OPERATING TRANSFER								
5912-01 To Special Revenue	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0

5912-02 To Capital Project	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
5912-03 To Capital Reserve	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
Wiiliams Field	2,500.00	2,500	2,500.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
5912-04 To Expendable Trust	5,000.00	5,000	5,000.00	0.00	0.00	5,000	0	5,000
5912-05 To Health Maint. Trust	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
5912-06 To Non-Expendable	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
5912-07 To Agency Fund	8,215.52	0	8,215.52	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
5912-08 To Enterprise Fund	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
6000-00 Salaries and Wages	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
6010-00 Employer Social Security	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
6015-00 Employer Medicare	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
7100-00 Finance Charge Inc	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
9999-00 Temporary Distribution	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0
Totals	7,500.00	7,500	7,500.00	0.00	0.00	5,000	0	5,000

EXPENSES	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
Grand Totals / Town's Budget	**2,252,270**	**2,252,270**	**2,166,604**	**(35,501)**	**50,164**	**2,878,315**	**2,508,857**	**2,561,691**

EXPENSES	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
5326-00 SEWAGE COLLECTION								
5326-01 Repair & Maintenance	2,052.00	3,140	0.00	(2,000.00)	52.00	3,140	3,140	3,140
5326-02 Capital Improvement	6,000.00	6,000	0.00	(6,000.00)	0.00	24,000	6,000	6,000
5326-03 Depreciation & Repair	2,940.00	4,000	0.00	(2,940.00)	0.00	4,000	4,000	4,000
5326-04 Treatment & Testing	4,758.00	4,758	4,539.83	0.00	218.17	4,758	4,758	4,758
5326-05 Sewage Dept. Equipment	330.00	330	208.95	0.00	121.05	330	330	330
5326-06 Sewage Safety Equipment	500.00	500	150.00	0.00	350.00	500	500	500

5326-07 Legal						0	0	1

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
5327-00 SEWAGE TREATMENT								
5327-01 Contracted Adminis	20,748.00	18,600	20,748.00	0.00	0.00	18,600	18,600	18,600
5327-02 Operating Fuels	1,934.00	1,200	1,933.94	0.00	0.06	1,200	1,200	1,200
5327-03 Electricity	13,379.00	16,500	11,816.42	0.00	1,562.58	16,500	16,500	16,500
5327-04 Sewage Telephone	587.00	1,100	586.03	0.00	0.97	1,100	1,100	1,100
5327-05 Maintenance	2,575.00	2,575	4.83	0.00	2,570.17	2,575	2,575	2,575
5327-06 Lab Supplies	29.00	250	0.00	0.00	29.00	250	250	250
5327-07 Lagoon Dues	1,260.00	400	1,259.34	0.00	0.66	400	400	400
5327-08 Billing Expenses	1,960.00	1,960	0.00	(1,960.00)	0.00	1,960	1,960	1,960
5327-09 Sewer Contracted Labor	250.00	250	100.00	0.00	150.00	250	250	250
5327-10 Legal						0	0	1
Totals for the Sewer Department	59,302	61,563	41,347.34	(12,900.00)	5,054.66	79,563	61,563	61,565

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
5331-00 WATER DISTRIBUTION								
5331-01 Water Administration	18,600.00	18,600	17,556.00	0.00	1,044.00	18,600	18,600	18,600
5331-02 Engineering & Plan	766.00	1	766.00	0.00	0.00	1	1	1
5331-03 Legal						0	0	1

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
5335-00 WATER TREATMENT								
5335-01 Water Depreciation	2,800.00	2,800	0.00	(2,800.00)	0.00	2,800	2,800	2,800
5335-02 Water Capital Improv	4,200.00	4,200	0.00	(4,200.00)	0.00	24,200	4,200	4,200

5335-03 Water Repair & Maint	1,546.00	50	1,545.10	0.00	0.90	50	50	50
5335-04 Water Dept Equipment	2,592.00	3,800	225.00	0.00	2,367.00	3,800	3,800	3,800
5335-05 Chemicals	2,984.00	2,500	2,983.68	0.00	0.32	2,500	2,500	2,500
5335-06 Water Dept Telephone	702.00	250	701.80	0.00	0.20	250	250	250
5335-07 Water Contracted Labor	1,122.00	850	1,121.55	0.00	0.45	850	850	850
5335-08 Water Dept Electricity	3,500.00	3,500	3,189.98	0.00	310.02	3,500	3,500	3,500
5335-09 Water Dept Supplies	1,861.00	1,861	718.22	0.00	1,142.78	1,861	1,861	1,861
5335-10 Inspection & Testing	1,538.00	1,538	377.00	0.00	1,161.00	1,538	1,538	1,538
5335-11 Water Billing Cost	1,517.00	1,517	0.00	(1,517.00)	0.00	1,517	1,517	1,517
5335-12 Legal						0	0	1
Totals for the Water Department	43,728	41,467	29,184.33	(8,517.00)	6,026.67	61,467	41,467	41,469

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
Grand Totals /W & S Depart	103,030.00	103,030	70,531.67	(21,417.00)	11,081.33	141,030	103,030	103,034

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
TOTAL COMBINED BUDGET	**2,355,300**	**2,355,300**	**$2,237,136**	**(56,918)**	**$61,245**	**3,019,345**	**2,611,887**	**2,664,725**

TOWN OF CANAAN CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS AS OF 12/31/02

Capital Reserve Funds	Beg. Bal.	Added	Paid	Interest	End Bal.
Sewer Fund	32,234.31			482.62	32,716.93
Fire Truck Fund	72,233.44			1,081.87	73,315.31
Fire House Fund	168.26			3.22	171.48
Revaluation Fund	12,405.64			185.85	12,591.49
Highway Garage Fund	4,849.25			72.65	4,921.90
Library Renovation Fund	221.24			3.80	225.04
New Hwy Equip. Fund	5,039.84			75.68	5,115.52
Town Office Renovations	3,367.44			50.31	3,417.75
Landfill Closure	72,515.03			1,086.12	73,601.15
Road Const. Maintenance	106,549.68		100,000.00	410.64	6,960.32
TOTALS - TOWN	**309,584.13**	**0.00**	**100,000.00**	**3,452.76**	**213,036.89**

EXPENDABLE FUNDS	Beg. Bal.	Added	Paid	Interest	End Bal.
Williams Field Fund	22,557.94	10,665.00	20,068.79	308.15	13,462.30
Cemetery Maint. Fund	13,819.28	2,000.00		220.41	16,039.69
TOTALS - TOWN	**36,377.22**	**12,665.00**	**20,068.79**	**528.56**	**29,501.99**

MVRHS Scholarships	Beg. Bal.	Added	Paid	Interest	End Bal.
Canaan Fairgrounds	1,988.43		100.00	28.62	1,917.05
Richard Cardoza	11,539.75	2.71	500.00	168.01	11,210.47
Lyle Clough Memorial	5,719.60	1,194.85	600.00	94.18	6,408.63
Dow / Zizza	755.39	11.25	65.00	11.01	712.65
Mont Calm Grange	410.19	127.87	0.00	7.30	545.36
B. Hill / Ryan Memorial	6,635.95	470.00	200.00	101.94	7,007.89
Dick Moulton	1,391.92	0.00	118.00	19.63	1,293.55
Milja Paasikallio	11.25	0.00	11.25	0.00	0.00
Kathy Gambell	5,539.40	0.00	240.00	77.55	5,376.95
Calvin Hackman	10,333.95	0.00	300.00	151.85	10,185.80
Ryan Jeffrey Labrie	1,922.55	1,650.00	0.00	34.97	3,607.52
Francis J. Bushee	1,001.46	0.00	0.00	14.94	1,016.40
Indian River Grange	1,502.22	0.00	0.00	22.38	1,524.60
Katie Lynn Bassett	50.00	0.00	0.00	0.03	50.03
TOTALS	**48,802.06**	**3,456.68**	**2,134.25**	**732.41**	**50,856.90**

MVRHS FUNDS	Beg. Bal.	Added	Paid	Interest	End Bal.
School District Fund	17,568.83	0.00	17,771.81	202.98	0.00
School Uniform Fund	1,991.31	0.00	2,014.25	22.94	0.00
District. Tech Initiatives	47,303.78	0.00	47,463.90	160.12	0.00
Facilities Const. & Reconst.	107,655.16	0.00	0.00	1,612.35	109,267.51
Special Education Fund	20,025.67	0.00	0.00	300.01	20,325.68
Fire Sprinklers - MVRHS	0.00	50,000.00	0.00	64.96	50,064.96
Accrediation Activities	0.00	10,000.00	0.00	12.99	10,012.99
Computers & Comp. A/C	0.00	35,000.00	0.00	45.52	35,045.52
TOTALS	**194,544.75**	**95,000.00**	**67,249.96**	**2,421.87**	**224,716.66**
GRAND TOTAL	**589,308.16**	**111,121.68**	**189,453.00**	**7,135.60**	**518,112.44**

REIMBURSEMENT TO THE TOWN FROM THE CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Cemetery	Requested Amount	Amount Disbursed
Wells Cemetery	6,965.55	6,965.55
Canaan Street Cemetery	5,215.20	5,215.20
Canaan Street Annex Cemetery	1,132.71	1,132.71
Sawyer Hill Cemetery	635.30	383.15
South Road - West Canaan Cemetery	1,742.51	1,742.51
West Farms Cemetery	1,170.72	255.36
Cobble Hill - Bicentennial Cemetery	107.78	0.00
Birch Corner - Whittier, S. Cemetery	114.96	0.00
Atwell - Jones Cemetery	161.05	59.29
Schofield Cemetery	0.00	0.00
Saint Mary's Cemetery	360.85	152.74
TOTALS	**17,606.63**	**15,906.51**

Legal Expense Report by Issue

Lower Grafton County Prosecutor Association	$14,356.00
Harold Eiler	30.00
David Mc Grath	3,405.94
Montgomery	7,619.70
Mascoma Parks	1,364.66
General Matters	9,877.96
Landfill Closure	87.00
Townsend	4,132.50
Total for the Year 2002	$40,873.76

	Lower Grafton County Prosecutor Association	Lynch Dallas, P.C.	Mitchell & Bates					
	Canaan Police Department	Harold Eiler	David McGrath	Montgomery Sand of Time Road	Mascoma Parks	General Matters	Landfill Closure	Tow nsend
January		30.00	73.47	1,783.27	248.67	545.74		
February	7,178.00		2,935.53	216.40	145.00	1,813.38		
March	7,178.00		117.50	26.00	237.50	1,477.00		
April				291.70		368.88		
May			279.44	652.16	87.15	59.54		
June				605.35	178.50	719.09		
July				1,679.70	242.85	37.69	87.00	
August				1,723.30	195.99	469.37		
September				409.55	29.00	1,261.43		
October						1,252.42		
November				88.20		1,162.32		
December				144.07		711.10		4,132.50
Totals	14,356.00	30.00	3,405.94	7,619.70	1,364.66	9,877.96	87.00	4,132.50

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board *of* Selectman Town *of* Canaan, New Hampshire

We have audited the accompanying general purpose financial statements of the Town of Canaan, New Hampshire for the year ended December 31, 2001, as listed in the table of contents. These general purpose financial statements are the responsibility of the Town of Canaan, New Hampshire's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these general purpose financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As more fully described in Note 1, the general purpose financial statements referred to above do not include the financial statements of the General Fixed Asset Account Group, which should be included to conform with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The amount that should be recorded in the General Fixed Asset Account Group is not known.

As described in Note 1, the Town has recognized tax revenues of $336,067 in its General Fund which were not be received in cash within sixty days of year end as required by accounting principles

generally accepted in the United States of America (GASB Interpretation 3). Town officials believe, and we concur, that the application of this accounting principle, which would result in a decrease in the undesignated General Fund balance from $348,534 to $12,467, would give a misleading impression of the Town's ability to meet its current and future obligations.

In our opinion, except for the effect on the general purpose financial statements of the omission described in the third paragraph, the general purpose financial statements referred to in the first paragraph present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Town of Canaan, New Hampshire as of December 31, 2001, and the results of its operations for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the general purpose financial statements taken as a whole. The combining financial statements and schedules listed in the table of contents are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the general purpose financial statements of the Town of Canaan, New Hampshire. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the general purpose financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly presented in all material respects in relation to the general purpose financial statements taken as a whole.

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated March 1, 2002, on our consideration of the Town of Canaan, New Hampshire's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards and should be read in conjunction with this report in considering the results of our audit.

March 1, 2002

Vachon, Clukey & Co., PC

Water & Sewer Department Reports

Water & Sewer Departments

The public voted to take $30,000 from the Water & Sewer Funds for the purpose of completing an in depth engineering study on both the water and sewer systems. The Selectmen placed the project out to bid by using the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Service's prescribed method; the Board followed this process to the letter for the purposes of maintaining the Town's eligibility for any available funding that becomes available from either the Federal or State governments. As a result, the cost of the project exceeded the Board's estimates. After checking with the Town's Attorney, the Board encumbered the additional funds from the Water & Sewer's Operational Budget for the year 2002. If you take the time to review the budget reports for both the Water and Sewer Departments, you can review the amount of funds that were encumbered and from what account lines it was drawn from for the purposes of increasing the amount of funding that's available to complete the project.

The engineering firm of Hoyle, Tanner, & Associates, has been chosen to do the project. This firm has received very high recommendations from their clientele, and is ranked #3 in the State. This firm has a strong track record when it comes to acquiring the funds; either through State programs, Federal programs, or grants. The Selectmen have high expectations that Hoyle, Tanner, & Associates' innovative thinking and enthusiasm will serve the clients who are on the Town's water and sewer systems very well.

The Water / Sewer Advisory Committee have been activated and the members of this committee are as follows:

Milt Wilson, Chairman
Wally Medeiros
Jay Waldner
Bill MacDonald
Jim Miller II

The Board anticipates that the Committee will play an active role in the water & sewer study by supplying some history about the system and act as a conduit to supply the public with information about the study. The Committee will also play an active role in bringing the concerns of the clientele to the attention of the commissioners and the engineers.

If you should have any questions about the study, or have some suggested areas that you would like to see the study focus on, please don't hesitate to contact the Town Office.

Sincerely,

Jeff Majewski, Chairman
Tim Lewis
Bob Goerke
Water / Sewer Commissioners

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
EXPENSES								
5326-00 SEWAGE COLLECTION								
5326-01 Repair & Maintenance	2,052.00	3,140	0.00	(2,000.00)	52.00	3,140	3,140	3,140
5326-02 Capital Improvement	6,000.00	6,000	0.00	(6,000.00)	0.00	24,000	6,000	6,000
5326-03 Depriciation & Repair	2,940.00	4,000	0.00	(2,940.00)	0.00	4,000	4,000	4,000
5326-04 Treatment & Testing	4,758.00	4,758	4,539.83	0.00	218.17	4,758	4,758	4,758
5326-05 Sewage Dept. Equipment	330.00	330	208.95	0.00	121.05	330	330	330
5326-06 Sewage Safety Equipment	500.00	500	150.00	0.00	350.00	500	500	500
5326-07 Legal						0	0	1

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
5327-00 SEWAGE TREATMENT								
5327-01 Contracted Adminis	20,748.00	18,600	20,748.00	0.00	0.00	18,600	18,600	18,600
5327-02 Operating Fuels	1,934.00	1,200	1,933.94	0.00	0.06	1,200	1,200	1,200
5327-03 Electricity	13,379.00	16,500	11,816.42	0.00	1,562.58	16,500	16,500	16,500
5327-04 Sewage Telephone	587.00	1,100	586.03	0.00	0.97	1,100	1,100	1,100
5327-05 Maintenance	2,575.00	2,575	4.83	0.00	2,570.17	2,575	2,575	2,575
5327-06 Lab Supplies	29.00	250	0.00	0.00	29.00	250	250	250
5327-07 Lagoon Dues	1,260.00	400	1,259.34	0.00	0.66	400	400	400
5327-08 Billing Expenses	1,960.00	1,960	0.00	(1,960.00)	0.00	1,960	1,960	1,960
5327-09 Sewer Contracted Labor	250.00	250	100.00	0.00	150.00	250	250	250
5327-10 Legal						0	0	1
Totals for the Sewer Department	59,302	61,563	41,347.34	(12,900.00)	5,054.66	79,563	61,563	61,565

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
5331-00 WATER DISTRIBUTION								
5331-01 Water Administration	18,600.00	18,600	17,556.00	0.00	1,044.00	18,600	18,600	18,600
5331-02 Engineering & Plan	766.00	1	766.00	0.00	0.00	1	1	1
5331-03 Legal						0	0	1

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
5335-00 WATER TREATMENT								
5335-01 Water Depriciation	2,800.00	2,800	0.00	(2,800.00)	0.00	2,800	2,800	2,800
5335-02 Water Capital Improv	4,200.00	4,200	0.00	(4,200.00)	0.00	24,200	4,200	4,200
5335-03 Water Repair & Maint	1,546.00	50	1,545.10	0.00	0.90	50	50	50
5335-04 Water Dept Equipment	2,592.00	3,800	225.00	0.00	2,367.00	3,800	3,800	3,800
5335-05 Chemicals	2,984.00	2,500	2,983.68	0.00	0.32	2,500	2,500	2,500
5335-06 Water Dept Telephone	702.00	250	701.80	0.00	0.20	250	250	250
5335-07 Water Contracted Labor	1,122.00	850	1,121.55	0.00	0.45	850	850	850
5335-08 Water Dept Electricity	3,500.00	3,500	3,189.98	0.00	310.02	3,500	3,500	3,500
5335-09 Water Dept Supplies	1,861.00	1,861	718.22	0.00	1,142.78	1,861	1,861	1,861
5335-10 Inspection & Testing	1,538.00	1,538	377.00	0.00	1,161.00	1,538	1,538	1,538
5335-11 Water Billing Cost	1,517.00	1,517	0.00	(1,517.00)	0.00	1,517	1,517	1,517
5335-12 Legal						0	0	1
Totals for the Water Department	43,728	41,467	29,184.33	(8,517.00)	6,026.67	61,467	41,467	41,469

	Adjusted	2002 Budget	Spent	Encumbered	Balance	2003 / Dept.	Select 2003	BC 2003
Grand Totals /W & S Depart	103,030.00	103,030	70,531.67	(21,417.00)	11,081.33	141,030	103,030	103,034

Private Well Users !

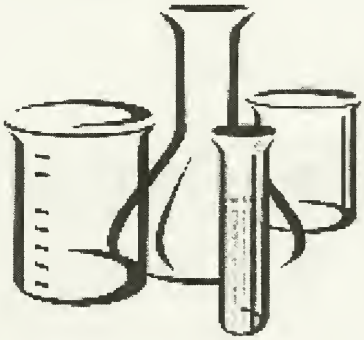
Have you had your well tested recently?

Drinking water from private wells in New Hampshire sometimes contains contaminants at levels that can pose health risks. Only a water quality test, by a competent laboratory, can assure that your family is protected.

What types of contaminants might be present in your well?

The following contaminants, some naturally occurring and others man-made, have been found in private well water in New Hampshire:

Arsenic
Bacteria
Fluoride
Nitrate
Radium
Radon
Sodium
Uranium
Volatile Organic Chemicals *(VOCs)*



Where can you learn more about this?

For further information, please visit the N.H. Department of Environmental Services' website at www.des.state.nh.us/wseb then select "fact sheets," then 2-1.

MINUTES
of
The Town Meeting
Deliberative Session
February 2, 2002

and

The Day of Voting
March 12, 2002

Town of Canaan
New Hampshire

REPORT OF TOWN MEETING DELIBERATIVE SESSION
FEBRUARY 2, 2002

The Deliberative Session of the Annual Town Meeting was called to order by Moderator Dale Barney at the Canaan Elementary School on Saturday, February 2, 2002, at 1:00 p.m. After the Pledge of Allegiance, moment of silence for the victims of the September 11 terrorist attacks and invocation, the Moderator read the rules: 1) no smoking on the premises; 2) only legally registered voters from Canaan may exercise their voting rights; 3) a person must be recognized by the chair prior to speaking and then should direct all comments through the Moderator; 4) all discussion must be related to the article on the floor; 5) all amendments must be in writing and only one may be on the floor at a time; 6) amendments must be in writing with five or more signatures; 7) negative motions will not be accepted; 8) the right to speak as well as the right to be heard will be respected; 9) comments should be limited to three minutes or less; and 10) five or more signatures will be required for a petition for a paper ballot on any article.

Article 2: Shall the Town raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles and other appropriation voted separately, the amounts set forth on the budget posted with the warrant or as amended by vote of the first session, for the purposes set forth therein, totaling $2,355,300? Should this article be defeated, the operating budget shall be $2,492,414, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Town or by law; or the Board of Selectmen may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 40:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only.

Explanation for Article 2:

The sum of money that is requested in this warrant article ($2,355,300) does not include any of the other money that is requested in the other warrant articles, but does include all the capital purchases that were approved by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Voted Position of the Selectmen & Budget Committee:
Board of Selectmen does recommend by the vote of: 3 to 0
Budget Committee does recommend by the vote of: 9 to 1

Russell Lester moved and David McAllister seconded that Article 2 be placed on the ballot as printed. After a lengthy discussion of the article, Nancy Loomis moved and Judith Kushner seconded an amendment to level fund the library budget, amending Article 3 as follows:

Shall the Town raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles and other appropriation voted separately, the amounts set forth on the budget posted with the warrant or as amended by vote of the first session, for the purposes set forth therein, totaling $2,365,278? Should this article be defeated, the operating budget shall be $2,492,414, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Town or by law; or the Board of Selectmen may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 40:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only.

After a discussion, the amendment failed by a hand vote of 49 yes, 58 no.

After a further lengthy discussion, there being no further amendments, the Moderator declared that Article 2 be placed on the ballot as printed.

Article 3: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed $334,375 for improvements to roads and sidewalks, the planting of trees and other improvements in the downtown area of Canaan, not to exceed $66,875 to come from the town's undesignated fund balance. This article is contingent upon the receipt of the balance of this appropriation (not to exceed $267,500) in the form of a NH Department of Transportation Enhancement Grant for 80% of the cost of any such improvements, and the appropriation under this article shall be void if said 80% grant is not awarded to the town on or before December 1, 2002. If the 80% grant is awarded by December 1, 2002, the town's 20% matching appropriation under this article shall be nonlapsing until December 31, 2004. No amount of the funds appropriation in this article shall be raised by taxation.

Voted Position of the Selectmen & Budget Committee:
Board of Selectmen does recommend by the vote of: 2 to 1
Budget Committee does recommend by the vote of: 9 to 1

Edward Morse moved and David McAllister seconded that Article 3 be placed on the ballot as printed.

Gary Wood moved and Timothy Cohen seconded that Article 3 be amended to read:

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed $66,875 from the town's undesignated fund balance for improvements to roads and sidewalks, the planting of trees and other improvements in the downtown area of Canaan, together with an amount not to exceed $267,500 in the form of

a NH Department of Transportation Enhancement Grant for a total appropriation not to exceed $334,375. The appropriation of $66,875 is contingent upon receipt of said Enhancement Grant for 80% of the total cost of said improvements and the appropriation under this article shall be void if said 80% grant is not awarded to the town on or before December 1, 2002. If the 80% grant is awarded, the town's 20% matching appropriation under this article shall be nonlapsing until December 31, 2004. No amount of the funds appropriated in this article shall be raised by taxation.

After a brief discussion, the amendment passed by voice vote. There being no further discussion, the Moderator declared Article 3 be placed on the ballot as amended.

Article 4: To see if the town will vote to increase its annual contribution to the Conservation Fund from 25% (twenty-five percent) to 50% (fifty percent) but not to exceed $5,000 (Five Thousand Dollars) in any single year, of the revenues collected pursuant to RSA 79-A (the land use change tax).

Voted Position of the Selectmen & Budget Committee:
Board of Selectmen does recommend by the vote of: 3 to 0
Budget Committee does recommend by the vote of: 10 to 0

Verne Hines moved and David McAllister seconded that Article 4 be placed on the ballot as printed. After a brief discussion, with no amendments being presented, the Moderator declared Article 4 be placed on the ballot as printed.

Article 5: "Are you in favor of the adoption of the Impact Fee Ordinance as proposed by the planning board?"

Explanation:
If adopted, the Impact Fee Ordinance will allow the planning board to require an applicant for subdivision approval to pay an impact fee for the applicant's fair share of the cost to construct or improve the town's capital facilities (such as water & sewer systems, roads, schools, municipal offices, and the like) to the extent such construction or improvements are made necessary by and benefit the subdivision.

Budget Committee does recommend by the vote of: 9 to 1

David Barney moved and David McAllister seconded that Article 5 be placed on the ballot as printed. After a brief discussion, with no amendments being presented, the Moderator declared Article 5 be placed on the ballot as printed.

Article 6: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50,000 from the Town's Undesignated Fund Balance to purchase the property which is identified on Canaan's tax maps as, Map # 15 A - Lot # 49 A; the .18 acre parcel is located on Route 4, abutting Williams Field, and is commonly known as the "Cozy Corner."

Voted Position of the Selectmen & Budget Committee:
Board of Selectmen does recommend by the vote of: 3 to 0
Budget Committee does recommend by the vote of: 10 to 0

David McAllister moved and Verne Hines seconded that Article 6 be placed on the ballot as printed.

Thomas Opal moved and Wayne Ferland seconded that Article 6 be amended to read:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50,000 from the Town's Undesignated Fund Balance to purchase a property which is identified on Canaan's tax maps as Map # 15 A - Lot # 49 A; which is an .18 acre parcel is located on Route 4, abutting Williams Field, and is commonly known as the "Cozy Corner," with this property to be used exclusively for the location of a new community center.

After a discussion, the amendment was withdrawn, then re-submitted with changes. Thomas Opal moved and Wayne Ferland seconded that Article 6 be amended to read:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50,000 from the Town's Undesignated Fund Balance to purchase a property which is identified on Canaan's tax maps as Map # 15 A - Lot # 49 A; which is an .18 acre parcel is located on Route 4, abutting Williams Field, and is commonly known as the "Cozy Corner," with this property to be used exclusively for the location of a new community/youth center.

After a further discussion, the amendment passed by a voice vote. There being no further discussion and no other amendments, the Moderator declared Article 6 be placed on the ballot as amended.

Article 7: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to enter into a five (5) year lease / purchase agreement for the purposes of purchasing a new or used fire truck (tanker) up to a value of $150,000, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $38,000 from taxation for this purpose, to pay the first of five payments.

Voted Position of the Selectmen & Budget Committee:
Board of Selectmen did not have an opportunity to vote this issue.
Budget Committee does recommend by the vote of: 10 to 0

Article 8: Are you in favor of authorizing the Selectmen to amend fees for the issuance of building permits to the following:

Single Family Construction - $25.00 (Twenty-five Dollars) plus $0.10 (Ten Cents) / Sq Ft.

Multiple Family / Condominiums - $100.00 (One Hundred Dollars) plus $0.10 (Ten Cents) / Sq Ft.

Commercial Construction - $100.00 (One Hundred Dollars) plus $0.10 (Ten Cents) / Sq Ft.

Voted Position of the Selectmen & Budget Committee:
Board of Selectmen does recommend by the vote of: 3 to 0
Budget Committee does recommend by the vote of: 10 to 0

Hayward Stafford moved and David Barney seconded that Article 8 be placed on the ballot as printed. There being little discussion and no amendments offered, the Moderator declared Article 8 be placed on the ballot as printed.

Article 9: To see if the Town will vote to adopt as a by-law the requirement that refuse be disposed of under a pay-per-bag system pursuant to RSA 149-M:17, II (a), and to set the per bag fee at $0.25, which will remain in effect until adjusted by action of Town Meeting.

Voted Position of the Selectmen & Budget Committee:
Board of Selectmen does recommend by the vote of: 3 to 0
Budget Committee vote of: 5 to 5

Russell Lester moved and David McAllister seconded that Article 9 be placed on the ballot as printed. There was a brief discussion. There being no amendments offered, the Moderator declared Article 9 be placed on the ballot as printed.

Article 10: To see if the town will vote to discontinue the position of elected road agent. If this article passes, under RSA 669:17-b the Board of Selectmen will employ a duly qualified road agent beginning in March, 2003.

Marvin Rocke moved and Robert Goerke seconded that Article 10 be placed on the ballot as printed. There being no discussion, the Moderator declared Article 10 be placed on the ballot as printed.

Article 11: To see if the town will vote to discontinue the position of elected police chief. If this article passes, under RSA 669:17-b the Board of Selectmen will employ a duly qualified police chief beginning in March, 2003.

Marvin Rocke moved and Nelson Therriault seconded that Article 11 be placed on the ballot as printed. There being no discussion, the Moderator declared Article 11 be placed on the ballot as printed.

Article 12: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to choose an engineering firm by using the State's recommended procedural format and to enter into a contract with that firm for the purpose of performing a study of the Town's water & sewer systems, and to raise and appropriate the sum of thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) for this purpose, said amount to be withdrawn from the Town's water & sewer funds, with no amount to be raised by taxation. Also to authorize the Board of Selectmen to seek out and accept any available grants and State funding to help offset the cost of this project to the Town.

Voted Position of the Selectmen & Budget Committee:
Board of Selectmen does recommend by the vote of: 3 to 0
Budget Committee does recommend by the vote of: 10 to 0

Edward Morse moved and Nelson Therriault seconded that Article 12 be placed on the ballot as printed. After a brief discussion and there being no amendments offered, the Moderator declared Article 12 be placed on the ballot as printed.

Article 13: **(Petition Warrant Article)** Warrant Article SB2 Official Ballot: "Shall we rescind the provisions of RSA 40:13 (known as SB2). As adopted by the Town of Canaan on March 12, 1996. So that the official ballot will no longer be used for voting on all questions, but only for the election of officers and certain other questions for which the official ballot is required by state law?

Russell Lester moved and Verne Hines seconded that Article 13 be placed on the ballot as printed. After a brief discussion, noting that a 3/5 majority is needed for the article to pass, and there being no amendments offered, the Moderator declared Article 13 be placed on the ballot as printed.

Article 14: **(Petition Warrant Article)** Petitioned Warrant Article: To see if the town will vote to rescind the vote taken at the March 12, 1994 Town meeting on Article 4, Shall the Town accept the provisions of RSA 31:95-b providing that any town at an annual meeting may adopt an article authorizing indefinitely, until specific rescission of such authority, the Selectmen to apply for, accept, and expend, without further action by Town meeting, unanticipated money from a State, Federal or other governmental unit or a private source which becomes available during the fiscal year
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Voted Position of the Selectmen & Budget Committee:
Board of Selectmen does NOT recommend by the vote of: 3 to 0
Budget Committee does NOT recommend by the vote of: 7 to 1

Russell Lester moved and David McAllister seconded that Article 14 be placed on the ballot as printed.

Kerrie Goerke moved and Timothy Cohen seconded that Article 14 be amended to read:

To see if the town will vote to reaffirm the vote taken at the March 12, 1994 Town meeting on Article 4, Shall the Town accept the provisions of RSA 31:95-b providing that any town at an annual meeting may adopt an article authorizing indefinitely, until specific rescission of such authority, the Selectmen to apply for, accept, and expend, without further action by Town meeting, unanticipated money from a State, Federal or other governmental unit or a private source which becomes available during the fiscal year .

After a discussion, the amendment passed on a voice vote. There being no further amendments, the Moderator declared Article 14 be placed on the ballot as amended.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:13 p.m.

A true copy, attest:

Edward C. Morse
Town Clerk
February 3, 2001

Report of the Day of Voting
March 12, 2002

The Day of Voting was called to order by Moderator Dale Barney at the Canaan Fire Station on Tuesday, March 13, 2002 at 8:00 a.m. The polls were declared open for the purpose of voting by ballots for town officials (Article 1), Articles 2 through 14, and school district officials and articles.

Supervisors of the Checklist Martha Pusey, Benjamin Yamashita and Carole Cushman took their positions; Debra MacDonald was ballot clerk; and Selectman Jeffrey Majewski was Gatekeeper.

The absentee ballots, posted as to voter prior to the voting, were cast at 3:00 p.m. by the Moderator.

The Moderator declared the polls closed at 7:00 p.m. There were 2,155 voters on the checklist, with 13 new registrations on March 12. Votes cast on the day of voting were 729, with 62 absentee ballots, for a total votes cast of 791.

Results for Articles 1 through 14 are as follows:

Article 1: To vote by non-partisan ballot for the following Town Officers:

One Selectman
Three-Year Term

*Timothy Lewis	649

One Moderator
Two-Year Term

*Dale Barney	738

One Town Clerk/Tax Collector
Three-Year Term

*Edward Morse	744

One Road Agent
Three-Year Term

Terrence Bishop	204
*Earl Charbono	342
Duane Mansur	212

One Treasurer
One-Year Term

*Brenda Souza	669

One Human Resources Officer
One-Year Term

*Nelson Therriault	678

One Supervisor of the Checklist
Six-Year Term

*Benjamin Yamashita	710

Two Library Trustees
Three-Year Terms

*Joanna Carr	601
*Beth Wolf	557

One Trustee of the Trust Funds
One-Year Term

*Maxine Therriault	662

One Cemetery Trustee
One-Year Term

*Maxine Therriault	680

Two Planning Board Members
Three-Year Terms

*Daniel Ware	521
Scott Hazelton	59
*Daniel Stafford	63

One Planning Board Member
One-Year Term

*Edward Lary	686

Three Budget Committee Members
Three-Year Terms

*Phil Carter	531
*Samuel Lowe	436
*Brenda Souza	552

Article 2: Shall the Town raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles and other appropriation voted separately, the amounts set forth on the budget posted with the warrant or as amended by vote of the first session, for the purposes set forth therein, totaling $2,355,300? Should this article be defeated, the operating budget shall be $2,492,414, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Town or by law; or the Board of Selectmen may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 40:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only.

Yes 515 No 169

The Moderator declared Article 2 passed.

Article 3: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed $66,875 from the town's undesignated fund balance for improvements to roads and sidewalks, the planting of trees and other improvements in the downtown area of Canaan, together with an amount not to exceed $267,500 in the form of a NH Department of Transportation Enhancement Grant for a total appropriation not to exceed $334,375. The appropriation of $66,875 is contingent upon receipt of said Enhancement Grant for 80% of the total cost of said improvements and the appropriation under this article shall be void if said 80% grant is not awarded to the town on or before December 1, 2002. If the 80% grant is awarded, the town's 20% matching appropriation under this article shall be nonlapsing until December 31, 2004. No amount of the funds appropriated in this article shall be raised by taxation.

Yes 545 No 215

The Moderator declared Article 3 passed.

Article 4: To see if the town will vote to increase its annual contribution to the Conservation Fund from 25% (twenty-five percent) to 50% (fifty percent) but not to exceed $5,000 (Five Thousand Dollars) in any single year, of the revenues collected pursuant to RSA 79-A (the land use change tax).

Yes 468 No 275

The Moderator declared Article 4 passed.

Article 5: "Are you in favor of the adoption of the Impact Fee Ordinance as proposed by the planning board?"

Yes 407 No 343

The Moderator declared Article 5 passed.

Article 6: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50,000 from the Town's Undesignated Fund Balance to purchase a property which is identified on Canaan's tax maps as Map # 15 A - Lot # 49 A; which is an .18 acre parcel is located on Route 4, abutting Williams Field, and is commonly known as the "Cozy Corner," with this property to be used exclusively for the location of a new community/youth center.

Yes 384 No 368

The Moderator declared Article 6 passed.

Article 7: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to enter into a five (5) year lease / purchase agreement for the purposes of purchasing a new or used fire truck (tanker) up to a value of $150,000, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $38,000 from taxation for this purpose, to pay the first of five payments.

Yes 410 No 340

The Moderator declared Article 7 passed.

Article 8: Are you in favor of authorizing the Selectmen to amend fees for the issuance of building permits to the following:

- Single Family Construction - $25.00 (Twenty-five Dollars) plus $0.10 (Ten Cents) / Sq Ft.
- Multiple Family / Condominiums - $100.00 (One Hundred Dollars) plus $0.10 (Ten Cents) / Sq Ft.
- Commercial Construction - $100.00 (One Hundred Dollars) plus $0.10 (Ten Cents) / Sq Ft.

Yes 412 No 341

The Moderator declared Article 8 passed.

Article 9: To see if the Town will vote to adopt as a by-law the requirement that refuse be disposed of under a pay-per-bag system pursuant to RSA 149-M:17, II (a), and to set the per bag fee at $0.25, which will remain in effect until adjusted by action of Town Meeting.

Yes 157 No 590

The Moderator declared Article 9 defeated.

Article 10: To see if the town will vote to discontinue the position of elected road agent. If this article passes, under RSA 669:17-b the Board of Selectmen will employ a duly qualified road agent beginning in March, 2003.

Yes 301 No 482

The Moderator declared Article 10 defeated.

Article 11: To see if the town will vote to discontinue the position of elected police chief. If this article passes, under RSA 669:17-b the Board of Selectmen will employ a duly qualified police chief beginning in March, 2003.

Yes 316 No 459

The Moderator declared Article 11 defeated.

Article 12: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to choose an engineering firm by using the State's recommended procedural format and to enter into a contract with that firm for the purpose of performing a study of the Town's water & sewer systems, and to raise and appropriate the sum of thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) for this purpose, said amount to be withdrawn from the Town's water & sewer funds, with no amount to be raised by taxation. Also to authorize the Board of Selectmen to seek out and accept any available grants and State funding to help offset the cost of this project to the Town.

Yes 464 No 310

The Moderator declared Article 12 passed.

Article 13: Warrant Article SB2 Official Ballot

"Shall we rescind the provisions of RSA 40:13 (known as SB2). As adopted by the Town of Canaan on March 12, 1996. So that the official ballot will no longer be used for voting on all questions, but

only for the election of officers and certain other questions for which the official ballot is required by state law?

Yes 416 No 365

The Moderator declared Article 13 defeated because a 3/5 majority was required.

Article 14: Petitioned Warrant Article

To see if the town will vote to reaffirm the vote taken at the March 12, 1994 Town meeting on Article 4, Shall the Town accept the provisions of RSA 31:95-b providing that any town at an annual meeting may adopt an article authorizing indefinitely, until specific rescission of such authority, the Selectmen to apply for, accept, and expend, without further action by Town meeting, unanticipated money from a State, Federal or other governmental unit or a private source which becomes available during the fiscal year.

Yes 244 No 506

The Moderator declared Article 14 defeated.

A true copy, attest,

Edward C. Morse
Town Clerk
March 12, 2002

MARRIAGES — 2002

DATE	PLACE	GROOMS NAME	BRIDES NAME	PLACE OF RESIDENCE
1/1/02	CANAAN	JOSEPH F. LEDOUX	MARY M. LARGUS	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
1/1/02	LEBANON	ERIC W. HAMMOND	ALLEGRA K. STELLER	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
1/18/02	CANAAN	STUART A. BLAIN	MARY E. NICHOLS	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
1/30/02	CANAAN	JESSE G. BOARDMAN	LISA L. CHURCHILL	SHARON,VT/CANAAN,NH
2/16/02	ENFIELD	JERRY O. LUCAS	LEAH M. WALKER	CANAAN, NH/ENFIELD,NH
3/17/02	CANAAN	JEFFREY A. CLIFFORD	MICHELE M. ARMSTRONG	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
3/23/02	LEBANON	GEORGE N. SUNN	DEBBIE J. GRAY	CANAAN,NH / WRJ,VT
5/18/02	CANAAN	JAMES M. MCLAUGHLIN	LYNN M. NUGENT	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
5/25/02	CANAAN	WAYNE S. CHURCHILL JR.	JESSICA L. BOLES	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
6/8/02	CANAAN	ARMAND A. ARCHIBALD JR	HELEN V. LITTLEWOOD	LEBANON,NH / LEBANON,NH
6/22/02	CANAAN	MICHAEL J. LECUYER	JENNIE L. BATTEN	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
7/6/02	CANAAN	ANTHONY M. LIPPERT	KIMBERLY J. FLANDERS	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
7/6/02	CANAAN	DONALD L SHUMWAY	DEBRA A PHILLIPS	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
7/12/02	CANAAN	KEITH S. HOLLENBECK	JENNIFER A. RULE	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH

DATE	PLACE	GROOMS NAME	BRIDES NAME	PLACE OF RESIDENCE
7/13/02	CANAAN	MICHAEL A. PAGANELLI	DIANA M. LINER	WESTFORD,MA /WESTFORD,MA
7/13/02	ENFIELD	JASON J. WARREN	DONNA M. JOERGER	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
7/14/02	CANAAN	TIMOTHY T. DOLAN	DARLA J. DYE	DENVER,NC/DENVER,NC
7/15/02	CANAAN	DONALD T. KENNEDY III	KATIE M. HYATT	MERIDAN,CT / WINDSOR,CT
7/27/02	CANAAN	SHAWN C. LABELLE	KESSTAN M. ARNESEN	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
8/10/02	CANAAN	KENNETH R. SMITH JR.	BETHANY J. DOW	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
8/16/02	CANAAN	JAMES A. JUKOSKY	MELISSA M. ALLEN	GRAFTON,NH / CANAAN,NH
8/17/02	CANAAN	JOSEPH A. WISEMAN	LAURA L. RAUDABAUGH	JERSEY SHORE,NJ
8/17/02	ENFIELD	KEVIN S. SHEPARD	HEATHER J. TRUMAN	CANAAN,NH / CANAAN,NH
8/18/02	NEWBURY	BRADLEY G. HALL	JENNIFER A. KIERSTEAD	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
8/21/02	LEBANON	DONALD E MERCHANTJR	VIKI D. PATCH	ENFIELD,NH/ENFIELD,NH
8/24/02	LEBANON	MARK A. NYLAND	HOLLI E. DAY	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
9/14/02	HANOVER	SCOTT L. RENNER	REBECCA D. ADAMS	WELLESLEY,MA / WELLESLEY,MA
9/18/02	ORANGE	BRADLEY C. HASTINGS	BARBARA L. JOPEK	GRAFTON,NH / GRAFTON,NH
9/28/02	ETNA	DANIEL T. MAVILLE	LORI L. JONES	CANAAN,NH / CANAAN,NH
9/28/02	CANAAN	RICHARD BELL	DEBORAH A. EASTMAN	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
10/12/02	CANAAN	JEFFREY W. MAJEWSKI	CAROL A. STOWELL	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH

DATE	PLACE	GROOMS NAME	BRIDES NAME	PLACE OF RESIDENCE
10/19/02	ENFIELD	ELMER R. MURRAY	TANYA M. CURTIS	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
11/16/02	CANAAN	DOUGLAS S. HAYDEN	KIMBERLY A. BIXBY	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
11/16/02	MANCHESTER	KEVIN S REMICK	GRETCHEN A. SMITH	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
12/24/02	LEBANON	JAMES E. GETMAN	LISA J. PARKS	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
12/25/02	CANAAN	JOSEPH A. BUCCELLATO	VALERIE N. ROGERS	CANAAN,NH/CANAAN,NH
12/28/02	LEBANON	JEFFREY S. NEILY	JULIA B. WALDRON	CANAAN,NH/LEBANON

BIRTHS-2002

DATE	PLACE	NAME	FATHER	MOTHER
1/19/02	LEBANON	JORDAN LEA ZUGER	DAVID ZUGER	TAMARA ZUGER
1/28/02	LEBANON	MARY ABIGAIL OPPEL	THOMAS OPPEL	MYRA OPPEL
1/28/02	LEBANON	RENEE ANN FRENCH	JOSHUA FRENCH	KELLY FRENCH
2/1/02	LEBANON	SAMANTHA ELIZABETH GIBBS	JEFFREY GIBBS	KIMBERLY GIBBS
2/1/02	LEBANON	TUCKER OLNEY WALLACE	STEPHEN WALLACE	MEREDITH WALLACE
2/10/02	LEBANON	JASMIN MARIE MOODY	BRADEN MOODY	FAWN MOODY
2/12/02	LEBANON	SARAH ANNE NELSON	BRETT NELSON	ANGELENE NELSON
2/24/02	LACONIA	EVAN MICHAEL FLETCHER	SCOTT FLETCHER	ELLAIKA FLETCHER
3/3/02	LEBANON	LEVI ROYAL SAULNIER	LAWRENCE SAULNIER	CAROL SAULNIER
3/5/02	LEBANON	AMANDA BLAIR THIBODEAU	CARL THIBODEAU	MICHELLE THIBODEAU
4/18/02	LEBANON	JATLA NOELLE WONG	JIMMY WONG	KRISTIE WONG
4/24/02	LEBANON	HANNA LOREN COOK	MICHAEL COOK	JENNIFER COOK
5/15/02	LEBANON	ETHAN BULLARD KREUZBURG	ALLAN KREUZBURG	AMY KREUZBURG
5/23/02	LEBANON	JOSHUA ALAN BISBEE	BRIAN BISBEE	SARAH BISBEE
7/16/02	LEBANON	MELISSA ROSE DUBE	GREGORY DUBE	JILL DUBE
7/18/02	LEBANON	BENJAMIN HENRY SCHWARZ	LINCOLN SCHWARZ	MARA SCHWARZ
7/30/02	LEBANON	SHEA DELANEY HAMMOND	ERIC HAMMOND	ALLEGRA HAMMOND
8/18/02	LEBANON	MORGAN MAY KENDALL	THEODORE KENDALL	LISA KENDALL
8/21/02	LEBANON	KERRI MICHELE QUINTAL	ELY QUINTAL	ELIZABETH QUINTAL
8/24/02	LEBANON	JOSEPH JAMES LEVA	BRIAN LEVA	PEGGY LEVA

DATE	PLACE	NAME	FATHER	MOTHER
8/27/02	LEBANON	WESTON LEE WHITCOMB	TIMOTHY WHITCOMB	MANDY WHITCOMB
8/27/02	LEBANON	MASON ANTHONY TUCKER	MATTHEW TUCKER	WENDY DOYLE-TUCKER
8/29/02	LEBANON	JULIANNA MARIE MORSE	JASON MORSE	JODI MORSE
9/13/02	LEBANON	MARGARET ANN DUNN	STEPHEN DUNN	JENNA DUNN
9/16/02	LEBANON	TESSA RAE DUBOIS	BYRON DUBOIS	TANYA DUBOIS
11/5/02	LEBANON	RORY PATRICK NEE	PATRICK NEE	AMY NEE
11/12/02	LEBANON	LINDSEY NICOLE HOUSTON	JEREMY HOUSTON	CRYSTAL HOUSTON
11/21/02	LEBANON	JONATHAN ROBERT CARRIER	STEPHEN CARRIER	EMILIE CARRIER
12/4/02	LEBANON	CALEB MICHAEL HOBBS	JOHN HOBBS	JENNIFER HOBBS
12/20/02	LEBANON	DIRK BURTON ANDREW	PATRICK ANDREW	ANGELINE ANDREW
12/27/02	LEBANON	JOSLYN PEARL LABELLE	SHAWN LABELLE	KESSTAN LABELLE

DEATHS-2002

DATE	PLACE	NAME	FATHER	MOTHER
6/26/02	WRJ, VT	GLEASON W. GUTHRIE	HENRY GUTHRIE	FLORENCE MOORE
1/15/02	ENFIELD	PAUL M. TUCKER	LAWRENCE TUCKER	DOROTHY MASON
2/23/02	FLORIDA	EMELINE W. LUFKIN	FRANK WEBSTER	NETTIE DAVIS
3/8/02	LEBANON	HARRIET E. SALISBURY	GEORGE DEVARNEY	SARAH KILLELA
3/30/02	WRJ,VT	ELMER D. EVANS	STEPHEN H. EVANS	MABEL MILLS
4/4/02	LEBANON	JUDITH WARDWELL	HENRY WARDWELL	MARJORIE FAULKNER
4/12/02	CANAAN	NORMAN C. LOUDERBACK	JOSEPH G. LOUDERBACK	WHILMA SHORT
4/16/02	WRJ,VT	DANIEL I. QUIMBY	CHARLES QUIMBY	MABEL AUSTIN
5/5/02	OCALA,FL	PHYLLIS A. DISBROW	PHILIP B. SPANO	MARY FARANDA
5/29/02	LEBANON	AMANDA L. MURRAY	JASON MURRAY	TAMMY MURRAY
6/12/02	WRJ,VT	ELMER M. SHUTTLEWORTH	ARTHUR SHUTTLEWORTH	FLORENCE ATKINS
6/16/02	CANAAN	WILFRED R. WHEELER	ALVY WHEELER	LENA BILL
7/13/02	HANOVER	JEANNE P. EVANS	FRANK MITCHELL	EDITH LISTER
9/3/02	CANAAN	MARY A. OBERMEYER	HUGH MACDONALD	ELTIE WALLACE
9/7/02	LEBANON	MABELLE WOODS	JOSEPH WEDGE	MARIE LABELLE
9/8/02	LEBANON	JEAN WEBSTER	JOSEPH COCKSEDGE	HARRIET FIDGEN
10/24/02	LEBANON	DOROTHY M. RICARD	FRED ANDREWS	HANNA ANDREWS
11/15/02	LEBANON	LENA A. THAYER (TUCKER)	LEON TUCKER	CLARA DECATO
11/16/02	LEBANON	WILLIAM O. NEILY SR	AUGUST NEILY	BLANCHE BUTMAN